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£300m SPENT ON HOSPITALS

HEALTH bosses have revealed the final details of a £300 million shake-up which will see Stafford Hospital downgraded and major services transferred to Stoke.

Accident & Emergency will double in size to reduce overcrowding as part of a £150million cash injection – but it will remain open for only 14 hours a day and is not expecting to treat any extra patients.

By Laura Blyth

The Weston Road site will also get a new MRI scanner, a possible new eye surgery unit and frail elderly assessment service.

Outpatient facilities will be expanded, wards will be refurbished and a new theatre opened.

Bosses insist the majority of patients will still be treated at Stafford despite the loss of major services such as children's and urgent care departments.

Tainted

Mid Staffordshire NHS Foundation Trust will be dissolved on November 1 and replaced by a new trust named the University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust.

Stafford will be known as the County Hospital.

Bosses have said the name Stafford had been tainted and that clinical staff did not want to work there.

There will be £100m invested at the University Hospital of North Staffordshire in Stoke and £50m will be spent on moving services from Stafford and Cannock to New Cross Hospital in Wolverhampton.

Staffordshire County Council's leader Philip Atkins welcomed the fresh investment to improve hospital facilities. He said: "As a county council we are committed to working with partners to ensure residents in Staffordshire receive the highest level of care both in their homes and in hospital.

"The campaign to keep services here in Stafford demonstrates clearly how much people value their local hospital and it good to see fresh investment to improve facilities even further.

"The way forward now is for the County Hospital to become known as a beacon for delivering quality care for residents as part of a very different, positive story of improving healthcare across the county."

It was confirmed on Tuesday that obstetrics will move from Stafford to Stoke in January and paediatrics will move in March.

Consultant-led maternity services will move on a temporary basis. If they stay in Stoke will depend on a national review of maternity services being carried out by NHS England.

Mark Hackett, chief executive designate of the new trust, said: "We have succeeded in negotiating a very substantial investment of over a quarter of a billion pounds into NHS services in Staffordshire. This is a once in a lifetime opportunity to rejuvenate our hospitals."

Staff toast landmark pub reopening

Waitress Nikki Emery celebrates the opening of the Longford House after a refurbishment

A LANDMARK pub hit by a car two months ago has undergone a £250,000 refurbishment.

A Mazda ploughed into the side of Longford House in Cannock in August, damaging the brickwork. The pub, off the main A5 Watling Street, was forced to close for 48 hours following the smash and repairs to the external brickwork were carried out.

It then closed for seven days to allow for the internal refurbishment before reopening last Friday (October 10).

Carpets and furniture have been replaced and a new menu introduced.

Manager Shane Quinn said: "We've had a full refurbishment. Our staff have received extra training as well.

"We've been busy since reopening and we expect it continue that way."

The revamp was part of a rebrand by pub restaurant chain Beefeater, which is celebrating its 40th anniversary this year.

Feedback

Mr Quinn continued: "The place looks a lot more contemporary and modern now. We've had really positive feedback from customers. People love the new look. Staff love it too.

"We're already getting bookings in for Christmas so we are expecting to be really busy in the next few months.

"After all the works that have taken place it looks as good as new. We salvaged as many of the bricks as we could after the crash and they have been used again on the walls."

The car crashed into the Georgian building on August 4. The driver, a man in his 30s, suffered serious leg injuries and was 'lucky to be alive' according to emergency crews.

Firefighters had to cut the roof off the car to free the motorist who was taken to University Hospital of North Staffordshire Major Trauma Unit.

Call for a review on child killings

A FORMER policewoman who helped to catch child killer Raymond Morris is calling for a cold case review into two deaths to give the families some 'closure.'

Morris died aged 84 at HMP Preston in Lancashire on March 11 this year.

He was sentenced to life in prison for the rape and murder of seven-year-old Walsall schoolgirl Christine Darby in 1967 but was also the prime suspect in the killings of Diane Tift, five and Margaret Reynolds, six.

All three were abducted, raped and murdered, and their bodies were found on Cannock Chase.

Cannock Chase Councillor Maureen Freeman, a police officer at the time of the killings, said: "Everyone has always known Morris was the prime suspect in the other two killings.

"We have so much more technology these days and people have been found guilty on DNA evidence from crimes that occurred a number of years ago.

"I do think the cases need to be looked at again," she added. "I have no idea if Staffordshire Police still have the files from the time.

"Those other families involved can never find closure. It would put it all to bed once and for all."

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Accidental death ruling

A MAN with a history of drink problems was found dead at his home after suffering a head injury, an inquest heard.

Cannock Coroner's Court heard Bramwell Roderick Henry Stone died in Coltsfoot View, Cheslyn Hay. The 67-year-old was discovered on August 24.

Staffordshire Police Det Sgt Adrian Webb said it is believed Mr Stone had fallen and struck his head.

South Staffordshire coroner Andrew Haigh recorded a verdict of accidental death.

Fears over race track proposal expressed

RESIDENTS have objected to plans for a go-karting circuit on the grounds of noise and traffic problems.

Chasewater Kart Racing Club wants to create an outdoor track on 28 acres of green belt land off Warstone Road, Shareshill.

They hope to be open seven days week – with 22 race weekends also planned for the site opposite the Hollybush Garden Centre.

But around 60 per cent of residents who took part in an online consultation have told planners they are opposed to it.

In its newsletter the club stated: "About 60 per cent of the views were opposed to our application. For the most part this centred on concerns about traffic and noise. These issues were something that occupied our minds prior to making our application.

"We believe our traffic flows will be on the main Warstone Road not Wolverhampton Road where most residents live. We are quite happy to make Wolverhampton Road a 'no go' road as only those people coming to us from Cheslyn Hay will need to drive down it."

Neighbours in Shareshill are currently being consulted on the plans.

South Staffordshire District Council will decide on the scheme next month.

Extra 1,000 Amazon jobs

A 'SUBSTANTIAL number' of full-time jobs will be created at online retail giant Amazon's complex in Rugeley as the firm takes on an extra 1,000 workers.

The new positions are to cope with the firm's expansion at the Towers Business park and will be on top of 350 jobs announced in June.

Bosses say the posts will be created in the coming months. Amazon is also taking on 2,500 temporary workers for Christmas – 1,000 more than last year.

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Hospital deemed safe – but only just

THE loss of just one or two workers at Stafford Hospital would mean that staffing levels would be unsafe, according to a new report.

Inspectors from the Care Quality Commission say that in certain areas, including the winter escalation ward, the departure of just a couple of members of staff in key posts would make them unsustainable. A report into the Mid Staffordshire NHS Foundation Trust found that senior managers are spending 'inordinate' amounts of time ensuring safe staffing levels are maintained while workers are 'fatigued' due to the constant attention directed towards the hospital and the uncertainty over its future.

The trust will be dissolved on November 1 with services transferred from Stafford to the University Hospital of North Staffordshire and from Cannock to New Cross Hospital in Wolverhampton.

The CQC carried out its inspection between June 30 and July 2.

The inspection looked specifically at whether the hospital's clinical services are safe and sustainable. It concluded that while services are safe, staffing levels are only just adequate in some areas at that time, particularly on medical wards. Chief Inspector of Hospitals, Professor Sir Mike Richards, said: "If recruitment or retention fell by even one or two people in some key posts, services would become unsafe."

Trust chief executive Maggie Oldham said: "Through a huge effort we are maintaining safe services but continuing difficulties in recruiting and retaining enough staff."

Bottleneck 'crisis' as patients block beds

PATIENTS well enough to be discharged from hospital are blocking valuable beds – sometimes for several weeks – because suitable after-care services are not available.

Health chiefs revealed that during the summer as many as 30 beds were blocked at Stafford Hospital. Stafford borough councillor Ann Edgeller described the discharge bottleneck as 'a crisis'.

The main reason behind the problem is difficulties in arranging after-care provisions such as nursing and residential home placements or care-at-home packages.

Maggie Oldham, chief executive of Mid-Staffordshire NHS Foundation Trust, which currently runs the hospital, described one patient 'desperate' to return home, and staff keen to facilitate it, but the patient needed 11 visits a day with two care workers required each visit.

She said: "The patient waited many weeks for that to be provided. We've got finite resources. That is a dilemma."

Handover

The issue was raised at the final joint health scrutiny meeting between the trust and the county council before the official handover on November 1 of Stafford Hospital to University Hospital of North Staffordshire and of Cannock Hospital to New Cross Hospital, Wolverhampton.

Maureen Freeman, vice-chairman of health scrutiny on Cannock Council, raised concerns over whether some patients were being discharged to nursing and residential homes to relieve the bed blocking problem.

Mark Partington, director of transition at Mid Staffs, said the hospital struggled with capacity but a particular problem was finding suitable care packages for those patients defined as having 'complex' needs.

Campaign has made difference

ORGANISERS say a campaign warning young people of the dangers of emotional abuse has 'made a real difference' after almost 40 teenagers were referred to a support organisation.

Extra funding has also been put into the initiative from the Chase Community Partnership to educate 13-to-18-year-olds about abusive relationships.

Some 37 young people have been referred to Staffordshire Women's Aid since the campaign started last June. A second phase will be launched this month.

Councillor Mike Holder, portfolio leader for crime, said: "Statistics showed us that dating abuse in teenage relationships was an issue, although it was very much being under-reported.

"The campaign has really made a difference and it's very good news that it will be extended and developed."

Steph Alexander, Cannock and South Staffs area manager for Staffordshire Women's Aid, added: "Raising awareness among young people is essential.

"Many people may not understand the seriousness of abuse and control in relationships, but it can leave long and far-reaching effects."

Firefighters' cabaret night

Gavin Wild, Dave Williams and Duncan McHugh get set for the charity cabaret evening

A FIREFIGHTER has organised a cabaret night to add to the £5,000 he has already raised from completing three gruelling challenges.

Gavin Wild took on the 48-hour Swim Long, Climb High, Ride Far challenge in September to raise money in aid of Birmingham Children's Hospital and the Firefighters Charity.

It comprised a 10.5 mile swim at Lake Windermere, climbing Scafell Pike and riding 200 miles from the Lake District to Birmingham Children's Hospital. Now he has organised a evening of entertainment at the Aquarius Ballroom in Hednesford.

The cabaret show will be on Saturday, October 25 from 7pm and will feature a variety of artists and acts, a raffle and an auction.

Tickets are £6 each and can also be booked in tables of eight.

All profits from the night will be split between the two charities. To book tickets contact Steve Kenny on 07931 979856.

Network of support for crime victims

A NEW network of specialists are making sure vulnerable victims of crime across Cannock, Rugeley and Burntwood are given the best possible support.

Staffordshire's Police & Crime Commissioner Matthew Ellis has launched the initiative, supported by the government with a £220,000 grant.

The specialists will offer support to victims who are vulnerable, due to mental illness, domestic violence or hearing impairment.

A video highlighting the scheme, which includes interviews with a victim and two of the organisations involved, can be seen at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jLdj7wZnMt4

Mr Ellis said: "For too long people have had to fit the criminal justice system rather than the system fitting them.

"In Staffordshire, we want to reverse this and create a joined-up system that treats victims with dignity and respect."

Deputy commissioner Sue Arnold said: "These specialists will make a significant difference for people who are vulnerable by helping them find support that is sensitive and tailored to their individual needs."

Cabbies' free health checks

CABBIES across Cannock Chase were given free 'MoT' health checks in Cannock and Rugeley. The checks took place in special 'Driver Pit Stops' at taxi ranks.

Cannock Chase Council's Environmental Health team worked with partners to offer health checks including body fat analysis, body mass index (BMI), blood pressure, cholesterol and peak flow.

Over two days, 47 taxi drivers were approached and 17 given health and wellbeing advice. A further eight took up the offer of a free health check.

Autumn fair

CHASE Terrace Methodist Church hosts its autumn fair on Saturday. It takes place from 11am to 2pm in Princess Street and will feature a home-produce stall, tombola and bric-a-brac. Jacket potato lunches will be served from noon with a dessert and drink for £3.

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Deadline to enter stories in contest

SCHOOLCHILDREN have until just this weekend to enter their spooky short story for a competition.

The competition, open to 11-to-16-year-olds, is the latest in Cannock Shopping Centre's Star Awards scheme to recognise achievements within the local community.

Children are encouraged to create their very own spooky story of between 500 and 800 words for Halloween. The winner will receive an engraved Star Award which will be presented on October 31.

Cannock Shopping Centre manager Natal Chapman said: "We are looking forward to receiving the entries for our spooky star story competition.

"Our Star Awards have been incredibly well received and I have no doubt we will uncover some young and fresh writing talent."

Stories should be sent to Cannock Shopping Centre's Star Stories Competition, PMW Communications Ltd, Stane Court, Stane Street, Billingshurst, West Sussex, RH14 9HP or email cannocksc@pmwcom.co.uk with the story, the entrant's details and contact information before Sunday, October 19.

Holiday park lands award

A CHASE holiday park where deer are a regular feature of the scenery has won a conservation award for the sixth year running.

The 28-acre Silver Trees Holiday Park received the David Bellamy Conservation Award at its top gold level. The park is based on a nature reserve which has been designated a Site of Special Scientific Interest.

Owners Trevor Barber and his wife Grace were praised by the botanist Mr Bellamy for their raft of environment initiatives.

Mr Barber said: "We are absolutely delighted."

Free meditation

FREE neti neti meditation takes place in Cannock this weekend. The session is held at the Beacon Centre for the Blind charity shop from 11 to 11.30am on Saturday. Contact teacher Surjit Dhami for details on 07957 550103 or visit www.formlessmeditation.com

Coach driver caught on mobile phone

A COACH driver carrying 40 passengers was among 200 motorists caught in a blitz on drivers using mobile phones. The campaign was backed by the mother of a girl killed by a distracted truck driver in Shropshire.

Officers were looking for people making calls, texting and even using the internet on their mobiles, and caught 182 people, including 29 HGV drivers. The coach driver was caught his phone on 26 September between junctions 4 and 4a of the M5.

Drivers were targeted on motorways and A roads during dedicated patrols from September 22 to October 5. They had the choice of a £100 fine and three penalty points, or paying to go on an educational course.

The blitz by Central Motorway Police Group officers was backed by Lisa Thomas, whose daughter Laura, of Great Haywood, was killed on the A5 in Shropshire last July by a lorry driver browsing explicit websites.

Laura, aged 20, a former Rugeley Aelfgar student, and boyfriend Lewis Pagett, 19, were struck by their own vehicle after an HGV crashed into it, sending it flying over the safety barrier to where the pair stood waiting for help after breaking down.

Mr Pagett was seriously injured. The couple had broken down on their way to Wales.

Lorry driver Ian Glover, 44, from Birmingham was jailed for five years.

Insp Sion Hathaway said he was "very disappointed" that so many people are flouting a law introduced 10 years ago.

He said: "Drivers still seem to be ignoring the law and continue to put themselves and other road users in danger by using mobile phones whilst driving.

"It's particularly disappointing that such a large number of offenders caught were HGV drivers – people who are paid to drive and are expected to be professional behind the wheel.

"Government figures suggest mobile phone use will become the biggest killer on our roads by 2015, so it's about time the message started to get through."

Concerns expressed over plans for extra homes

COUNCILLORS have voiced concerns that Hednesford will be unable to cope after more than 900 new homes were earmarked for the town.

Plans for a huge development including a new school, shops and road were expanded, with a further 200 homes added to the original 700 proposed in the 142-acre development off Pye Green Road.

Residents and councillors fear roads will be overrun with traffic and that services will be unable to cope with the influx of people.

Developers have been given permission to apply to build more homes after an inspection of Cannock's local plan, which sets out how many new properties are needed for the coming years, revealed a greater need for housing in the area.

Concerned

Cannock council leader George Adamson, who represents Hednesford, said: "I'm concerned about this development – I think it is too much for Hednesford.

"The Government would only approve the local plan if we increased the number of homes in it, though, so we had no choice but to allow this increase.

"It is a huge number of houses. There is already pressure on GP practices, with a lot of them reaching retirement age, and this will make matters worse."

If the plans are given the go-ahead, 225 of the new houses should be built by 2016, with the other 525 set to be built by 2017 onwards.

By Adam Burling

The council's planning committee has recommended the first 119 homes for approval at a meeting which was taking place yesterday (Wednesday).

Originally developers St Modwen wanted to build 125 but they cut back the numbers in the wake of residents' worries.

A report to councillors states: "As part of the Local Plan Examination, following representations on behalf of St Modwen the Inspector recommended the site allocation for land west of Pye Green Road to be increased to 900 dwellings.

"The increase in the number of units reflected agreement between St Modwen and the council over the ability of the site to deliver additional housing growth."

The plans include a primary school, 75 acres of public open space and a local centre.

Trucker in M6 arrest bailed

THE driver of a refrigerated lorry found carrying 12 suspected illegal immigrants on the M6 has been arrested and bailed. Police took a 'distressed call' from a man travelling in the lorry between Junctions 10a and 11 at around 9am on Wednesday, October 8. The 12 males were seen by paramedics and taken into custody. Home Office spokesman Catherine Ellis said: "The lorry driver was arrested on suspicion of facilitation of illegal immigration and bailed."

Sue Allison and Carol Dean, get a good send off from colleagues at Hednesford Valley High

School's out for pair after 55 years

TWO school dinner ladies have bid a fond farewell after completing more than half a century of service between them.

Carol Dean and Sue Allinson worked at William Baxter Community School in Hednesford and stayed on when it became Hednesford Valley High.

Carol, aged 66, was celebrating 41 years' service in a number of roles. She started as a cleaner at the Stanley Road site and went on to work as a dinner lady, janitor and senior lunchtime supervisor, working under three different headteachers.

Current head Anita Rattan said: "She will still continue to be involved with Hednesford Valley High, and we are looking forward to welcoming her and Sue at barbecues and Christmas productions at the school."

Sue, aged 56, worked as a dinner lady for a total of 14 years.

Mrs Rattan added: "Both have always been dedicated to the work in the school, seeing many changes.

"Carol and Sue have worked with a range of pupils.

"Both will be missed by all, and we wish them good luck for the future."

NEWS IN BRIEF

Classical guitarist back on home soil

A CLASSICAL guitarist from Hednesford is making a rare appearance in his home county.

Carl Herring, a graduate of the Royal Academy of Music, has also won the Julian Bream Prize and Ivor Mairant Award. He now lives in Japan.

He performs at Stafford Gatehouse Theatre on Tuesday, October 21, from 7.30pm ahead of a tour of Germany at the end of the month.

Tickets are £12, or £10 concessions, available from the box office in Eastgate Street on 01785 254653.

Youngsters enjoy Co-Op experience

YOUNG people enjoyed work experience at Hednesford's Co-Operative Food store as part of a Government backed initiative.

The 'Feeding Britain's Future' campaign is delivered by Midcounties Co-Operative Society, in partnership with grocery and research training charity IGD.

Hednesford and 28 other branches participated. Store manager Emily Walker said: "We were impressed with their enthusiasm and application to the tasks we gave to them."

Village meeting over HS2 route

A PUBLIC meeting about the proposed HS2 high-speed rail link is being held next week.

The Stop HS2 update is at the village hall, Bagot Street, Abbots Bromley, on Thursday, October 23, at 8pm. All are welcome.

Email ridwaresagainst hs2@gmail.com or kings bromleystophs2@gmail.com for more details.

Driver hurt as car involved in crash

A DRIVER was taken to hospital after his Ford Focus overturned following a collision in Longford Road, Cannock at around 10.30am last Wednesday (October 8).

The driver went by ambulance to Walsall Manor Hospital with minor injuries. Police closed the road from its junction with Laburnum Avenue.

Rugby dinner

EX-ENGLAND and Leicester hooker George Chuter guests at Burntwood RUFC's annual dinner on November 22. Comedian Jed Stone will provide the entertainment. Tickets are available in the clubhouse.

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THE BEST OF PETER RHODES

IF screening for Ebola fever is introduced at British airports, will it fill you with confidence? If travellers' tales are to be believed, the current anti-terrorist screening procedure seems to specialise in picking on little old ladies from Worthing for full body scans, and waving through anyone in a burka. If the same people were in charge of Ebola screening, they would subject hale and hearty visitors from Finland to the full treatment while cheerfully opening the doors to sickly, feverish arrivals from Liberia. Political correctness could be the death of us.

HAVE you noticed how the various armies in Iraq or Syria never capture a dull, unimportant or insignificant place? Is there a single town in the region that is not key, landmark, crucial, holy or of strategic importance?

ROSAMUND Pike, star of Gone Girl, says some folk these days expect too much of marriage: "People have ridiculous expectations of a mate." How true. You have only to look at wedding photographs from 40 years ago to see how attitudes have changed. In the 1970s we lived under the shadow of the Bomb, so we tended to live for the moment. As far as I can recall, expectations had not been invented. If we had seriously thought about the future we would never have worn those lapels.

A READER takes me to task for referring to over-60s getting the winter fuel payment. In fact, to qualify for the coming winter's £200 you must have been born on or before July 5, 1952. The bad news is younger folk won't get the payment. The good news is that the bad news will probably make them very hot under the collar, thus saving on fuel.

I STAND accused of cowardice. A reader says I lacked the bottle, in a recent item on Fanny Cradock, to mention one of television's best-loved bloopers. It is widely believed that, as one show ended, the great chef's partner Johnnie turned to the camera and said: "I hope all your doughnuts turn out like Fanny's." Great yarn, shame about the facts. There is, as far as I am aware, no recording of this supposed incident. The alleged words have been attributed to several others, including Frank Bough. The truth, I suspect, is that it never happened. It just sounds as though it should have happened, which is the basis of so many urban myths.

BARRY Williams shot five people dead in a rampage in 1978. He was locked up in Broadmoor for 14 years until he was judged safe to be released under monitoring. He changed his name to Harry Street, moved to Birmingham, fell out with the neighbours, collected an arsenal of weapons and built a bomb. As you do. He was put back behind bars this week under the Mental Health Act. All of which raises a very obvious question. When the wild-eyed British jihadis trickle back from Syria and are jailed, will the decision to release them be made by the same sort of people who thought Barry Williams was no risk?

A READER tells me he shared my puzzlement on seeing the sales slogan: "Elderly walk in showers." He says he was looking for a new shower, not an elderly one.

ANOTHER reader says she's cracked the dilemma of charities who ask for money but will accept it only through direct debit payments. Cheerfully ignoring all the payment instructions on a leaflet from Water Aid, she simply sent an old-fashioned cheque to the address. It was duly cashed.

I HAVE not given up on the campaign to rename the grey wagtail whose name does not do it justice. I have contacted the RSPB but have not had a reply. Not a chirp.

Don't miss Peter Rhodes every Monday to Friday in your Express & Star

Housing body faces fine over breach

SOUTH Staffordshire Housing Association could be hit with a maximum fine of £500,000 if the Information Commissioner's Office rules its breach of data as among the most serious.

SSHA has reported its mistake to the ICO, the watchdog on data protection.

It is looking into details of the incident and will then decide if it will investigate the organisation and impose penalty notices, which can reach up to half-a-million pounds.

It is one of a number of options available to the independent body.

Checks

Other sanctions that could be imposed include: serving information notices requiring organisations to provide the ICO with specified information within a certain time period; ordering an organisation to a carry out a particular course of action in order to improve its compliance; conducting consensual assessments to check organisations are complying; serving assessment notices to conduct compulsory checks to assess whether organisations' processing of personal data follows good practice. ICO spokesman James Stanley said: "We are aware of the incident at South Staffordshire Housing Association and are looking into the details."

SSHA has come under fire from residents whose details were leaked online.

Frank Collington, of Cheslyn Hay, said he felt 'violated' after details of he and his wife Joy were put on the website.

Bosses say sorry to data scandal victims

THOUSANDS of tenants caught up in the South Staffordshire Housing Association data scandal have been sent an apology by bosses.

The private and sensitive details of SSHA residents were published on the organisation's official website and were accessible by members of the public and could be edited.

But SSHA chiefs are still in the dark about the level of exposure tenants suffered – admitting they don't know how many people were aware of the personal details, who saw the information and for how long.

The body confirmed it has sent out apologies to people it believes have been affected. The letter was signed by chief executive Debbie Griffiths.

Viewed

It read: "Due to the nature of the internet we cannot be certain how many people have viewed the information.

"We also do not know the identity of those individuals.

"We can also confirm that no other data was visible, no emails were involved and customer accounts were not affected.

"Nevertheless, we appreciate that you will be concerned about the implications of this incident, and I regret any concern, embarrassment or inconvenience this may have caused you.

"We do take the security of personal information very seriously. We are investigating the root cause and any contributing factors that led to it occurring and taking steps to ensure that it cannot happen again."

By Adam Thompson

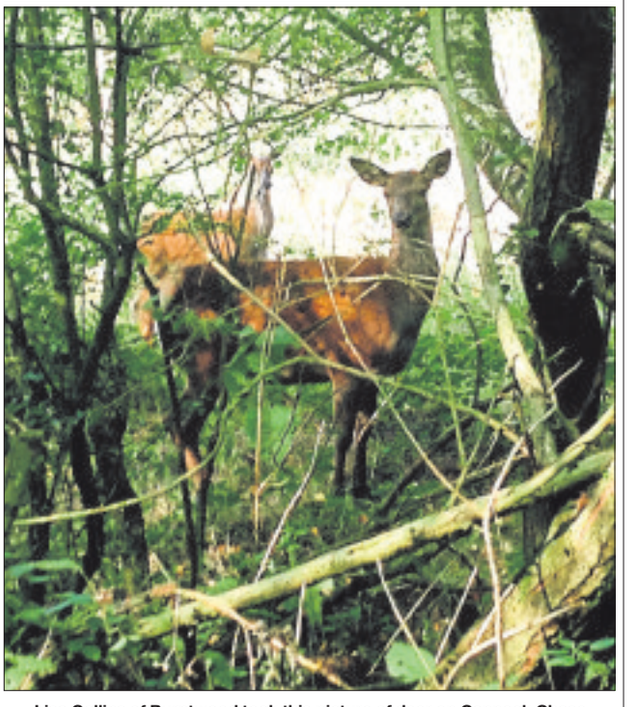
Pensioners, cancer patients, the disabled and ex-police officers were among those whose information was shared on the webpage via the Contact Us page.

More than 3,500 private messages sent from tenants to SSHA were laid bare. The error drew criticism from MP for South Staffordshire Gavin Williamson who has demanded an investigation.

Janos Toth, the prospective Labour candidate for Cannock Chase, said: "It is unbelievable and it is outrageous. It should never have happened."

SSHA manages nearly 6,000 homes covering South Staffordshire, Wolverhampton, Cannock, Stafford, Dudley and parts of Shropshire.

That's a good picture, deer



Lisa Collins of Burntwood took this picture of deer on Cannock Chase

PEERING through the trees on Cannock Chase, these two deer were spotted by reader Lisa Collins.

The keen snapper captured the pair in among the woodland while out walking at the much-loved beauty spot.

There are estimated to be more than 350 deer across Cannock Chase and nearby Chasewater Country Park, Burntwood and at the moment it is mating season.

A safety campaign has just been launched aimed at protecting the animals during rutting season.

Drivers are being urged to slow down as the deer could be jumping over hedges and fences.

Shops closure problem

MORE shops are closing in Cannock than new ones opening, a new report has revealed. Eight have shut and just three opened in the first six months of this year, according to the figures.

Cannock Council leader George Adamson said the figures were 'disappointing' but insisted a new outlet village being built in Mill Green would revitalise the area.

He said: "It's disappointing because it's a national problem but we are hoping the new development will reverse the trend. This is hopefully a short-term problem and we will notice a change soon."

Academy status is celebrated at school

A HEDNESFORD school has marked its conversion to an academy trust led by the University of Wolverhampton.

Pye Green Valley Primary has been renamed Pye Green Academy and held a day of celebrations to mark the occasion on October 1.

The school is now under the sponsorship of the Education Central Multi-Academy Trust (ECMAT).

The school released 600 balloons, one for each child, staff member and governor.

The children were helped by their teachers to explore the new logo through art, poetry, dance and maths.

Headteacher Kevin Butlin said: "The launch of the new academy was a momentous day for Pye Green.

"The decision to convert to an academy with Education Central Multi Academy Trust was taken by the governing body with the full support of the staff and wider school community, with the belief that it was the best way to enable us to realise the full potential of our school and its pupils."

Sir Geoff Hampton, chief executive of Education Central Multi Academy Trust, said: "We are delighted Pye Green has joined our growing family of academy schools."

Support for help centre

A HELP centre was on the receiving end of support thanks to a Great Wyrley playgroup.

Tommytots Stay and Play Group held a coffee morning and Harvest Festival for Landywood Voluntary Help Centre, a charity which provides hot meals and transport for the elderly and infirm.

Help Centre volunteers attended the toddler session and enjoyed tea and cake. A large selection of food items were collected and a total of £30 from the sale of tea, coffee, and home made cakes was presented.

Fiendish fun

A HALLOWEEN-themed takes place in the woods of Cannock Chase on October 30. Staff at the Cannock Chase Visitor Centre in Marquis Drive say it will feature fiendish activities. It takes place from 4-6pm and costs £4 for children.

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Students' reward for launch of toy library

FIVE Rugeley students have been given a £500 charity donation after creating a toy library to tackle social isolation and poverty.

The students, from Fair Oak and Hagley Park Academies, were presented with the Giving Nation Social Action Award in the Churchill Room at HM Treasury in London.

The students set up the library, working alongside local residents, businesses and primary schools, after discovering that social isolation and poverty were big issues, particularly among young families.

It is open once a week and offers low income families with an affordable way to provide their children with toys as well as offering them a safe space to socialise.

Fair Oak teacher Emily Knight said: "We are thrilled at just how important their project is and how students have flourished while planning it.

"Their confidence has grown and they feel like active members of their local community."

Students entered the awards by publishing a Giving Blog (G-Blog) about their project. Log on to http://www.g-nation.org.uk/g-blog/201314/fairoa/class-1/

Fears over slowdown

CHASE Chamber chief Chris Plant has expressed concern over a slowdown in manufacturing output across the UK.

Latest figures show manufacturing output in August was up 3.3 per cent compared with the same period the year earlier but had not increased since the spring.

Mr Plant said: "More recent figures show clear signs of a slowdown.

"The manufacturing sector is now just over 10 per cent of the total UK economy. Its success remains crucial to a balanced UK recovery."

Pastel paintings

CHESLYN Hay artist Trevor Jones is revealing his passion for pastel painting in an exhibition. It started last Thursday (October 9) and runs until November 17 at The Atrium, Blakenall Village Centre, Thames Road, and includes people, landscapes and animals.

Citizenship programme is celebrated

PPDG apprentice Scott Robinson, Amanda Milling Keyleigh Tomlinson of Newlife and Carly Robinson

EIGHTY young people were joined by friends and families to celebrate their success in the National Citizenship Service, on the day the Prime Minister announced an extension to the scheme.

David Cameron even personally signed the certificates handed out to the Staffordshire participants.

The programme is delivered by Pertemps Coachright – a not-for-profit organisation delivering sports-based social inclusion programmes.

The programme enables groups of 16-to-17-year-olds to spend their summer learning new skills and giving back to their communities. This year's groups raised £454 to the Newlife Foundation in Cannock and a further £332 to buy products for a local food bank.

Guest of honour at the celebration event at the Prince of Wales Centre in Cannock was the Conservative candidate for Cannock Chase, Amanda Milling, who provided words of encouragement to all the participants. She said: "These young people are making a positive contribution to society for which they should be applauded."

The course began with a week of activities including abseiling, canoeing and raft building at an outdoor education centre, followed by a week's residential on the Staffordshire University campus in Stoke-on-Trent where the teenagers engaged in team-building exercises led by champion in-line skater Rich Parker.

Following the course the teenagers have become involved in projects including volunteering at a food bank and creating a nature trail in Cheslyn Hay.

Sixteen-year-old Bryn Sharratt, from Cannock, said: "The whole experience has been absolutely awesome."

Protesters bid for pub as development debated

CAMPAIGNERS battling to save their local pub were this week set to hold a silent protest over plans to turn it into flats.

Cannock Chase Council has recommended for approval the plans by HB Village Developments to build 16 flats and two bungalows for assisted living at the Pied Piper. Campaigners were protesting yesterday (Wednesday) ahead of the meeting where a decision was to be made.

The campaign group has given the authority council formal notice of its interest in buying the Pye Green Road pub. The group has already scored a victory by succeeding in registering the pub as an asset of community value.

It is the first time the legislation, brought in under the Localism Act two years ago, has been tested in Cannock Chase.

Their latest move secures the protesters six months to raise the cash – whatever the outcome of the planning meeting.

Obliged

Wolverhampton brewery Marston's, which owns the site, has agreed in principle to sell the pub because it is no longer economically viable and they want to dispose of the land.

Under the new law they are not obliged to sell it to the campaigners, should they find the cash, and others are open to bid for it.

A report to the meeting states: "The weight of public response demonstrates that even if it is considered 'unviable' by the brewery, the pub does provide a community benefit."

Resident and campaigner Phil Dempster said: "I don't know what our chances are of raising the money but at least this buys us some time."

Businesses urged to bid for funding

BUSINESSES in Cannock are being encouraged to apply for their share of £400,000 funding.

The Business Development Programme has already approved grants of almost £2 million since it started two years ago and the programme, funded through the European Regional Development Fund, runs until June 2015.

So far 16 businesses within the Cannock area have benefited, including Chase Mouldings and Nationwide Skips.

Councillor Gordon Alcott, Portfolio Leader for Planning and Economic Development said: "Cannock Chase Council has a 100 per cent success rate for securing BDP grants for eligible businesses but there are limited funds remaining in this programme.

"If businesses don't apply now, they may miss out. So act quickly if you think the programme could help you."

For more information about the programme and eligibility criteria, visit www.birmingham.gov.uk/bdp

Rising to occasion at new cake shop

Owner Milly Humphris at her new cake, sweet and coffee shop Cakes-A-Daisy, in High Street, Cheslyn Hay

AFTER two years of baking from the garage of her parent's home, a young businesswoman has opened her first shop. At just 21, entrepreneur Milly Humphris is behind Cakes-A-Daisy in High Street, Cheslyn Hay.

The former Great Wyrley High School pupil started making sweet treats when she was 16 and after learning the tricks of the trade has now set up her own business.

The baker started making cupcakes to fundraise for a charity trip to South Africa in 2010. She said: "I went for two weeks to help charities who support people with Aids.

"In order to raise the money for the trip we baked cakes to sell at coffee mornings."

Once back home Milly worked in a cake shop for two years before setting up on her own, adding: "My first job in a cake shop really helped me to better myself and work on my skills but I really wanted to work for myself so I took on another job to fund my own business and I was able to start baking full time at the end of last year."

Her parents transformed the garage at their home into a kitchen for Milly before the shop opportunity came up. Her mother Lynn who is working for her daughter said: "Her passion for what she creates is immense. We are very proud of her."

The High Street shop is a cake, sweet and coffee house and has both a seated area and a take away service. Call 01922 411818

NEWS IN BRIEF

Drop in number of young jobless

THE number of unemployed young people in Cannock Chase has more than halved in the last three years, figures show.

There are now 982 jobseekers aged 18-to-24 in the area, 1.6 per cent of the working population, compared to 2,357 in July 2011, 3.8 per cent.

The current rate across Staffordshire is 1.3 per cent.

Cannock Council leader George Adamson said: "I'm glad the number is coming down and it shows that efforts to get more young people into work are having an effect."

Call rejected over cancer care move

THE county council has rejected calls to refer the search for a private operator to run Staffordshire's cancer services to Health Secretary Jeremy Hunt.

Health chiefs from GP-led groups have teamed up with Macmillan Cancer Support to overhaul the way services are managed.

Campaigners put forward a petition asking for the move to be halted. But member for care, Councillor Alan White, said the authority had to leave the issue to health chiefs.

Stock up on logs at wildlife centre

NATURE lovers can stock up on fuel for their wood-burning stoves at Staffordshire Wildlife Trust.

The trust is selling bags of seasoned hardwood logs sourced from its nature reserves as part of its sustainable woodland management of the sites.

They are available for £5 a bag at the Trust's Wolseley Centre HQ at Wolseley Bridge.

Free face painting to mark Halloween

CHILDREN can get their faces painted to celebrate Halloween in Cannock Shopping Centre.

Artists will transform youngsters into devils, witches and monsters for free, from 11am to 4pm on Friday, October 31.

Centre manager Natal Chapman said: "It is a great way to start the Halloween celebrations."

Wild flowers talk

THE Friends of Etching Hill host a free talk on wild flowers on Thursday, October 30. It takes place from 7.30pm at Etching Hill Church Hall. Everyone welcome and refreshments will be provided.

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IN MY VIEW

with Mark Andrews

SOME of you may recall that a few weeks ago, I wrote about a mysterious company calling itself Access 2 Justice bugging me with unsolicited phone calls telling me I was entitled for compensation for injuries I did not receive in a car accident.

Despite my repeated pleadings that the only injury sustained in the collision was to the number plate, plus a bit of light bumper scuffing, the company, not to be confused with the reputable Access 2 Justice Foundation, has continued to bombard me with endless calls.

During the latest call from the elusive company, which does not have a website or any other visible means of contact, I asked if I could have an address so that I could write them a letter.

The caller, who up until that point had been charm personified, demanded to know why I would possibly want to know that, adding: "I hope you choke on your tea." Clearly nice people to do business with.

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IN A 'searingly honest' interview with a red top – and by searingly honest, I of course mean attention-seeking – former soap actress Helen Flanagan declared: "I'm a very private person, but I want to be the next Kelly Brook."

Hmm. Would this be the same Helen Flanagan who took to the internet to show off her newly-enhanced assets? Or who had to endure a terrifying raid at her home after taking to Twitter to tell anyone who would listen that she was home alone? Apparently so. Indeed, even the interview in question was accompanied by two pages of pictures showing her in various states of undress.

One hates to think what this 'very private' person will do if she ever overcomes her shyness.

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AT last, something to look forward to on television. The Apprentice is back.

Forget the boring bakers, simpering singers, and dreary dancers, people love The Apprentice because it is actually about real life. Of course, the TV bods can't resist trying to manipulate things, deliberately choosing boastful, confrontational candidates who will rub each other up the wrong way. But essentially it is about getting on with the sort of activities we can all relate to, without any 'journeys', 'emotional rollercoasters', tinkly piano music or crying blokes.

However, it is interesting to note that, despite having a record 20 candidates this year, the series is scheduled to run for just 14 episodes. So call, me a cynic, but I would hazard a guess that there will be at least one occasion over the coming months where the lovely Lord Sugar loses his rag and spontaneously fires several candidates.

Not that I am suggesting it is stage managed in any way, you understand.

The replica anchor on the back of a truck

The lead horses are guided along the route

Film maker David Hale beside the replica anchor

The day a Titanic task was repeated

ALICE CHARLES on a film looking at the day when the send off for the Titanic anchor was recreated

IT was a snapshot of the glory days of Black Country engineering.

History was recreated when thousands lined the streets to watch as a replica of the anchor from the doomed Titanic was hauled through the town where it was made 99 years earlier.

The re-enactment followed the route the real anchor, cast by Hingley's of Netherton in 1911, took in reverse and was filmed for a five-part history series for Channel 4 and National Geographic channel.

And now the momentous occasion has been preserved for future generations in a DVD from a Dudley production company, The Return of the Titanic Anchor: A Day to Remember.

Original

The original 16-tonne anchor was cast carried to the old Dudley train station by 20 shire horses, taken by train to Fleetwood and shipped across the Irish Sea. From there, the anchor continued its journey to the Titanic's shipbuilders Harland and Wolff in Belfast.

For the recreation in 2010, the replica travelled from Castle Hill, Dudley to Halesowen Road, Netherton, as crowds lined the streets.

But it wasn't without it's problems as the parade, made up of 20 shire horses, ground to a halt near Dudley Zoo due to difficulties navigating the exit to the car park.

Following a two and a half hour delay, the procession began again but stopped again near the Flood Street island as the anchor began to slip from its cart.

Crowds line the street as teams of horses pull the Titanic replica anchor

The shire horses had to be detached and instead walked on in front as the cart was pulled by a tractor to a temporary plinth off Halesowen Road.

The 18ft long replica is now sited proudly in the town as a reminder of the past.

The documentary's director and producer David Hale, aged 58, from Netherton, said the recreation captured the imagination of the town.

"More than 10,000 people turned up to watch. I've never seen so many people in all my life," he said.

"Hingley's was the world's foremost anchor maker. It's phenomenal to think about."

Just under an hour long, the film also includes archive footage of workers at Hingley's and of the actual anchor itself on the liner.

"We have a local actor, Victor Meadows, reading an article from the Dudley Chronicle in 1911," said Mr Hale, who works at Davideo.

The documentary is presented by Luke Perry and includes commentary from Dr Kenneth Mallon, who has written two books on the subject.

The documentary began in 2010 as a direct result of the Channel 4 series, which was made by Twenty Twenty Productions in London.

Mr Hale has been making documentaries since 1987 for a variety of clients including Wolverhampton City Council, and the team worked on the project alongside their other work.

The documentary includes 20 minutes of archive footage, some of which proved difficult to get.

"My colleague Richard Beard, who sadly died two years ago, found rare archive footage from the 1920s and 1930s in a skip but it was on nitrate," he said.

Fortunately, through a contact at the BBC, the team successfully managed to convert the footage to video for inclusion in the documentary.

Meanwhile, the production company may return to the subject matter in the future.

"I've always wanted to do a drama documentary at some point," Mr Hale said.

The 2010 reconstruction was a poignant moment due to Netherton's strong links with the Titanic. The ill-fated liner sank on its maiden voyage in April 1912, with the loss of more than 1,500 lives.

There were in fact two anchors made, one for the side and another for the centre of the liner.

When it was made, the Titanic's centre anchor was, at the time and for some time to follow, the world's largest anchor ever forged by hand.

In 2011, Dudley Council and other organisations put together a whole series of events and exhibitions to mark the 100th anniversary of the sinking of the Titanic. Church bells were rung and the procession was followed by a civic ceremony.

The Return of the Titanic Anchor: A Day to Remember is available on DVD at £14.95, and is available from www.davideo.co.uk or call 01384 235 009.

WEEK IN POLITICS

with Daniel Wainwright

NEITHER Labour or the Tories want to approach the next election thinking about a coalition. The problem is, with the opinion polls still so close after the party conference season, they don't really have a choice.

The Conservatives finally got themselves a lead for the first time in two years. But it's hardly a done deal. For all their attempts to portray Ed Miliband as another Michael Foot, his conference speech was not the second longest suicide note in history.

He forgot to mention the economy and immigration, and that's bad. Even so, what the Tories gained was a lead of only a couple of points, despite their own policies and announcements being generally well received.

David Winnick has been an MP for a very long time. And now the member for Walsall North wants his party colleagues to put out of their minds any prospect of having to cosy up to anyone else. He may be pushing for a majority but the question has arisen now as it did four years ago.

Some people who voted Liberal Democrat might have done so believing there was a chance they would form a coalition with one of the others. Many didn't.

Now, the party's dwindling number of supporters are left in no doubt that Nick Clegg is trying to stay in government with one or other of the two bigger parties.

And just as many Lib Dems didn't vote for the Tories, neither did Conservative voters put their X in the box expecting to have a party they didn't back taking some of the key roles.

The next election will see the parties have to campaign against each other but not do so with such bad blood left between them that they burn their bridges. So it is an important and perfectly reasonable set of questions for voters to be asking of their MPs and candidates: Who could you work with?

Have party leaders on both sides of the Atlantic painted themselves into a corner when it comes to tackling Islamic State?

Wolverhampton South East MP Pat McFadden questions what may happen by ruling out 'boots on the ground' the way they have done. He wrote: "Is war weariness pushing the West back into an unwitting adoption of the Vietnam doctrine of escalation by degree rather than using overwhelming force which replaced it?

"For our leaders haunted by the recent experience of Iraq and Afghanistan it is worth remembering, the past did not begin in 2003."

The difficulty is it's not that long since British forces left Iraq. And they're only now leaving Afghanistan after 13 troubled years. It doesn't make it right to hold off on saving people from modern-day barbarians. But it does make it all the more difficult to take the country with you.

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Homes firm leaves its rivals snookered

Steve Davis hands over the award to Sarah Hancox

A CANNOCK home improvements company has been voted best in the Midlands for a fourth time.

Snooker legend Steve Davis presented the trophy to Goliath Homeworld sales and admin worker Sarah Hancox in Nottingham. She said: "We're really thrilled to receive this award again.

"We have always known we could live up to the standards expected by Network VEKA but now once again, we have another way of proving it to our customers.

"This trophy will take pride of place in our showroom along with the others."

The Hawks Green firm gained the highest regional score in a customer satisfaction survey of more than 15,000 homeowners nationwide.

The survey was conducted by Network VEKA, the standards and guarantees body for home improvement companies across the UK.

Goliath Homeworld is also a founder member of Network VEKA, which was established in 1996.

Concerns are voiced on future of libraries

SERIOUS concerns have been raised about the future of libraries in Cannock Chase, with fears of a 'significant loss' of services.

Responding to the county council's consultation on the planned shake-up of library provision, Cannock Chase Council leader George Adamson said there were many holes in the proposed 're-shaping'.

And he claimed the cuts were financially driven after a decision made last December that £1million savings would have to be made in library services by 2016-17.

Councillor Adamson said: "This was prior to any public consultation.

Prinicple

"In effect, the county has already decided in principle that it will be reducing the current level of service despite its statutory obligations."

The proposals would see community organisations take on 24 of the county's 43 libraries.

Cannock and Rugeley libraries will both continue to be managed directly by the county council but with a small reduction in opening hours. However libraries at Brereton, Heath Hayes, Hednesford and Norton Canes have been categorised as 'local' with the expectation that community groups provide the services.

By Marion Brennan

Councillor Adamson said he was concerned that these libraries would not have professionally qualified staff available, 'significantly decreasing the quality and effectiveness of the service.'

He added: "My concern is that there will be a significant loss of library provision in future years."

The letter, signed by Mr Adamson on behalf of the district council's cabinet, is addressed to County Councillor Mike Lawrence, who launched the 12-week consultation.

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8 Reasons for shortage of nurses

CAN anyone wonder why there is a shortage of nurses, resulting in us taking immigrant nurses, some of whom have not even mastered English, into our hospitals when a student nurse doing a three year university type degree is expected to live on a stipendiary of £500, from which the trainee has to travel to the hospital daily, and occasionally work some 12 hour shifts on the wards with no recompense?

How does this encourage people to enter the nursing profession, particularly when you compare this income with that of an unmarried woman with a couple of children? She would get rent allowance and other benefits, which would be well in excess of £500. To rent a home would cost £500 per month.

Why can't the government encourage these people who are trying to get on and eventually provide for themselves?

NAME AND ADDRESS SUPPLIED

Who could afford the HS2 rail fares?

I VIEW most of the past and present members of the House of Lords and the Commons with dismay, concerning promises made before elections and promises kept afterwards.

In my view, they soon abandon any thought of honouring any commitment made to the electorate and take it upon themselves to do as their political masters bid, whether or not it is in the interest of the country as a whole.

Take for example the statement made by the Prime Minister that we have to cut back on council spending and other government schemes and some benefits and create a bedroom tax among other things because we are in debt. It all sounds so simple but maybe the one who thought up the idea is the same one who decided to cut the country in two with a high speed rail system that to date is going to cost £50billion.

I say to date as I believe it will almost double by the time it is finished and who will be able to afford the fares anyway?

For years they have rambled on about controlling immigration into this country but it is getting worse. We have also overseas aid going to countries that are in far better financial shape than ourselves. I am also of the opinion that if these people were employed by industry the vast majority would be sacked for their inability to produce results.

ROBERT WESTWORTH
Church Street
Rugeley

More suitable sites for outlet village

AFTER reading about the plans, and now the revised plans, for a designer outlet village in Cannock, I cannot help but say it would be an irreversible mistake for the area.

Let us first put aside the fact that it would create jobs. The proposed site is so very wrong to begin with. The areas on the outskirts of Cannock near the Orbital are already very congested.

I note that other shopping villages such as Cheshire Oaks seem to be built a decent way from built-up areas. This proposal is smack bang on the edge of a busy area. There are more suitable quieter places not too far away where a development of this size would be more suited, and on ex industrial reclaimed land too.

There will be tailbacks in Cannock and the surrounding areas. I personally don't want the chase area spoilt in this way. Once its built its too late, there is no going back – we can then all enjoy sitting in massive tailbacks.

JOHN HAMMOND, Cheslyn Hay

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Stadium consultation

THE Liberal-Conservative coalition at Cannock Council demolished the stadium costing taxpayers £100,000. The Tory Candidate now asks what should go on the stadium. The site cannot have houses built on it. Furthermore the Labour council has agreed, with the public's backing, to retain the stadium as a sporting and recreational facility. I'd like to thank all who took part in the consultation process.

COUNCILLOR CHRISTINE MITCHELL
Culture & Sport

Campaign over library must go on

THE Staffordshire County Council consultation on the libraries may be over, but our campaigning in Great Wyrley needs to go on. The proposals for our library are for it to be community-led, run by volunteers.

To make matters worse, Councillor Mike Lawrence cannot give any assurances that we will keep our library under these proposals if volunteers do not come forward.

Yet again we are asking volunteers to provide a service that should be funded by our taxes. We expect and are entitled to have a professionally staffed and managed library under these proposals, not the option offered.

If you would like to assist in continuing to getting this message across, contact me via email brian1806@tiscali.co.uk, call 01922 414181 or drop me a line at 53 Bentons Lane, and I will get back to you.

SUE WOOD
Great Wyrley

Staggering amount was raised at party

MY lovely friend and neighbour, Derek Gretton, was 70 on September 24. On October 3, to mark the occasion, he had a huge celebration for family and friends at the Premier Suite in Cannock. Derek made it very clear from the onset that the party was not about him, but about raising money.

He has been battling with cancer since 2010 and as a result wanted to use the event to raise money for Cancer Research.

We held a tombola as well as receiving monetary gifts from family, friends and businesses. It would be great if you could print this letter as a wonderful way of thanking everyone who donated to this successful event. We raised a staggering, mind-blowing £2,350.

BRONWEN GOSLING
Newhall Street
Cannock

Look at bigger picture on Mill Green scheme

I WAS glad to see Cindy Faulkner comments in the Chronicle (September 25) when she stated that the proposed Mill Green development will scupper plans to generate trade in the three main town centres.

She is totally correct. This development, if allowed to proceed, will be disaster for any regeneration of the town centres and will cause considerable problems for residents living close by.

I realise Cannock Chase Council need the money that will be generated from the sale of the land but they should look at the bigger picture before allowing this development to take place.

JOHN G MOORE, Heath Hayes

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Positive feedback on designer outlet plans

REVISED plans for a multi-million pound designer outlet village on the edge of Cannock have gone on display for the first time.

Changes have been made to the proposed leisure and retail scheme at Mill Green, off Lichfield Road, including better pedestrian crossings, with a proposed cinema being moved to the first floor. There will also be improvements to the nearby nature reserve.

Scores of people viewed the plans at the Cannock Campus of South Staffordshire College last weekend, with many positive about the alterations.

Married couple Sid and Jenny Howell from Heath Hayes turned up to view the revised proposals.

Mrs Howell, aged 65, said: "I had mixed feelings to start with but the idea is growing on me now. It will bring much needed jobs to the area.

Project consultant Mark Loveday with Jenny and Sid Howell

John and Freda Attwell, of Cannock, study the revised proosals

The revised plans for the Mill Green designer retail outlet village

Damage

"I was concerned about the level of traffic but the plans show these concerns are being looked at and I have been reassured about the possible damage to local wildlife."

However, John Dunne, 65, from Sparrowhawk Way, Cannock, had mixed feelings. He said: "Just how many problems will it cause the houses nearby? But I do agree we need progress in the area."

Jade Rimmer, 32, of Cannock, said: "I really welcome the plans and I am looking forward to seeing what big names it will bring to the area."

It was the second time the public had been invited to view the plans and make comments after a consultation in July. Amendments were made following responses made in the summer.

Giles Membrey, managing director of the developers Rioja Developments, said: "It is important that the local people are behind us. I honestly believe that this will have very little impact on Cannock traders.

"We don't want to let units that will directly conflict with the town centre.

"These public consultations are very important, it is a huge commitment to the area. We have met with local councils and the public and we have brought them along with us at every stage."

The development is expected to create up to 800 jobs and would have 130 shops, a cinema and places to eat and drink as well as a heritage trail.

The revised plans will be submitted by the end of this month and the outlet village is expected to be open in summer 2017.

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Halloween trails at wildlife base

FAMILIES can take part in Halloween trails and discover the spooky side of Staffordshire Wildlife Trust's HQ.

The charity is holding Wild and Scary Wildlife themed trails in the grounds of its Wolseley Bridge visitor centre between Saturday October 25 and Sunday November 2.

Wolseley Centre warden Vicki Liu said: "These terrifying trails are designed not only as some Halloween fun, but also to open children's eyes to the natural world around them.

"Anybody that completes a trail also wins a Halloween themed prize."

The trails are set in the Wolseley Centre's 26 acres of grounds.

Trails are available from reception and cost £1. Prizes are available while stocks last.

The Wolseley Centre is open from 9am to 5pm weekdays and from 11am to 5pm at weekends. For more details on the trails contact Staffordshire Wildlife Trust on 01889 880100.

Parents' fight over school drinks ban taken to MP

A MOTHER claims she has taken her child out of school since a ban on bringing drinks from home was introduced.

By Katy-Rose Meaney

At Chadsmoor CE (VC) Junior School, children are no longer allowed to take their own water or juice and instead can pay 20p a day for diluted juice or milk.

Restrictions on what food youngsters can have in their lunch box have also been introduced including a ban on bringing in sweets, chocolate covered or iced cakes and biscuits, chocolate bars, fried crisps, sausage rolls, corned meat or pies. The school says it wants to provide more healthy options.

Since the move was introduced earlier this year some parents claim that yoghurt drinks have also fallen foul of the ban. One mother she has contacted Cannock Chase MP Aidan Burley while another says she has moved her son to another school.

Gemma Reece said she had taken her son out of the Burns Street school and added: "I have lost all trust in the school and his teachers."

Another parent Rachel Oxton, said she had written to Conservative MP Mr Burley and had taken her fight to the government's Children's Food Trust.

She claimed: "It is beyond ridiculous now. There is no consistency with the rules. Yoghurt pots are allowed but not yoghurt drinks. The children are confused and it is making them worried and scared."

She said Mr Burley responded in a letter, saying it was down to individual schools to dictate their own packed lunch policy, but parents had every right to make their feelings known if they felt the policy was not working, or if it was placing unfair financial implications upon parents.

Legislation

The Children's Food Trust said it understood parents' frustrations and confirmed it was not part of the government legislation to not allow drinks to be brought onto the school premises.

Karen Burns, executive headteacher at Chadsmoor CE (VC) Junior School, said: "All staff are aware of the guidance and ask if they are unsure about a particular item, but it's important to emphasise that no bags are searched and nothing is confiscated. Staff just offer alternatives."

Explore nature for holiday fun

CHILDREN can discover the delights of the natural world during the half-term holiday.

Staffordshire Wildlife Trust is running its nature-themed Wildplay sessions at its Wolseley Centre HQ near Rugeley for eight-to-13-year-olds.

Alexis Johnson, education officer at the trust said: "The Wolseley Centre and its grounds provide the perfect setting for our fun nature-inspired activities this half-term.

"Our Wildplay sessions are a great way of not only keeping kids entertained, but opening their eyes to wildlife around them."

Sessions take place on Monday 27, Tuesday 28 and Friday 31 October between 10am and 3pm and cost £9 per child per day.

The Trust is also running a Wildlife Watch day at the Wolseley Centre for four-to-seven-year-olds on Wednesday October 29, from 1.30 to 3.30pm at a cost of £2.50 per child.

Children should wear outdoor clothes and bring a packed lunch. Booking is essential. on 01889 880100. Details of all the trust's activities can be found at www.staffs-wildlife.org.uk/halfterm

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Tree will mark war anniversary

Cannock TG

CHAIRMAN Val Beale opened the September meeting and welcomed three new members.

The luncheon club continues to meet monthly and the walking group will be having their last evening walk.

A small group of members are continuing to prepare and make items for the Federation craft fair in November.

Guild members have agreed to sponsor planting of a tree at Cannock Park to commemorate the Great War.

A plot has been identified and planting date is to be confirmed.

Speaker for the evening was Liz Gardner from Staffordshire Library Service.

She explained her role, which includes networking with schools and other agencies to promote the use of libraries and inform of the services which are on offer.

She talked about the children's reading challenge which received a very good response.

Members were very interested in discussing the future of the service and Liz outlined the changes which were taking place and the consultation process which invites service users and those who do not use the library for their views by filling in forms and going online.

There were many questions asked and it was a most illuminating and useful talk. The vote of thanks was given by Sheila Reader.

What Kate did next – join Soroptimists

President Dr Janis Lomas welcomes new Soroptimist member Kate Young

SI Cannock & District

KATE Young became the youngest member of Cannock Soroptimists when President Janis Lomas inducted her into the organisation at the September business meeting.

Kate, 36, worked for 12 years in local government as a Senior HR manager, but decided to change career after experiencing health issues and now is self-employed as a success and wellbeing coach.

Kate read about SI Cannock & District in the local press and had always wanted to do something more to support women suffering from issues such as FGM and domestic violence.

She told members she had always been passionate about women's equality and had been so overjoyed with the friendliness of the Cannock SI group.

On a more sombre note, a minute's silence was held to remember Margaret Young, a club member for more than 46 years, who died recently after battling ill health for some time.

Margaret was always cheerful, always pleased to chat to members and attended meetings and events whenever she was able.

Applause for hearing dog

Hayes Green WI

THE October meeting was very well attended, with only a few apologies. President Sandy Hobbs welcomed everyone, and the usual formalities followed.

Everyone was thrilled and amazed by Oakley – a hearing dog.

He was brought along by his owner Alan who gave a fascinating talk. Oakley is six-and-a-half-years-old and is indispensable to Alan, who talked about the very rigorous training which the dogs have to go through. Sue gave the vote of thanks and everyone applauded Alan and Oakley warmly.

The Heathside Group meeting will be hosted by Norton Canes on October 30. Several new members have joined and the club was informed about the varied activities at Christmas.

Mary won the competition and Celia won the raffle.

The next meeting will be on November 5 at 7.30pm at St John's Church Hall, Heath Hayes.

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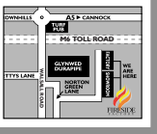

Autumn falls into place at beauty spot

This snap by amateur photographer Stuart Worsey captures the start of autumn on Cannock Chase

THE first signs of autumn can be seen in this colourful scene which was snapped during a leisurely stroll over Cannock Chase.

The picture was taken early last month by amateur photographer Stuart Worsey, from Darlaston.

The father-of-one, who took up photography as a hobby about a year ago, said this picture was one of his favourites showing the signs of autumn.

Mr Worsey, a manager for Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs in Wolverhampton, said: "I had the day off work so I thought I would wander across Cannock Chase. I was hoping to see some deer and take photos of them.

"This was taken just as you enter the main bit of Cannock Chase. I've recently taken photography up as a hobby and I've had my camera for a few months.

"I like this picture as you can see the sun coming through the trees and it sums up autumn.

The 33-year-old added: "I also took a couple of the open spaces and heather field. I've been back since and managed to find deer to photograph."

Sex act in chatroom leads to sentence

A MAN who sent an online video of himself performing a sex act to a 14-year-old girl who turned out to be an undercover police-woman has been ordered to complete community service.

The officer joined an internet chatroom called Imesh under the nickname 'SarahLou' where she was contacted by 50-year-old Thomas Neale.

Stafford Crown Court was told the defendant asked her for pictures of herself and the officer told him several times she was only 14, but Neale said he didn't mind. He then invited her to a videocam call and when it appeared on her screen, he was committing an explicit act.

By Adam Burling

Incite

Miss Fiona Cortese, prosecuting, told the court that Neale, of Calf Heath, made two further video requests to 'SarahLou' the same day in November 2011.

Neale, aged 50, admitted attempting to incite a child to watch indecent images and was given a three year community order with 100 hours of unpaid community work. He was also ordered to register as a sex offender for the next five years.

Miss Cortese said police did not seize Neale's computer equipment from his home until March last year. He was never arrested and went voluntarily for a police interview last November, when he admitted he was the man on the videocam stream and expressed remorse for doing it.

Mr Steve Hennessey, defending, said the incident was out of character for him. "This does seem to be something of an isolated incident," he said.

Recorder Mr Martin Hurst told him: "Anyone who seeks to indulge in sexual behaviour in the presence of a 14-year-old child commits a grave offence. I am persuaded this was wholly out of character."

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School strikes gold with sports award

The whole of Chase View Primary Year 5 celebrate news of the award following a PE lesson on fitness

A RUGELEY school has been rewarded for its dedication towards PE. Chase View Primary School is the first across the Chase and one of only a few schools in the Midlands to achieve the Sainsbury's School Games Mark Gold Award.

A government-led scheme to promote school sport, it was awarded following a thorough assessment of its provision.

Headteacher Andy Minott said: "We are delighted to have achieved the Gold award. It is a tribute to all the adults that help and support with sport and to our fantastic pupils who take part."

To gain the award, the school had to make sure all children were taking part in at least two hours of PE per week, as well as attending as many after-school clubs as possible.

A group of Year 5 pupils have been trained as Sports Ambassadors, leading smaller groups of younger children in sporting activities at playtimes and lunchtimes, while specialist coaches regularly come into school.

Following a successful application to 'Awards for All' the Hillary Crest school has been awarded £10,000. This will enable children to take part in a range of extra sports each school holiday for the next year by setting up a 'Chase View Sports Camp' with West Bromwich Albion Foundation.

Spooky stories in park

SPOOKY storytelling and a frightening fancy dress parade will feature in this year's Lantern Story Walk at Hednesford Park.

The Friends of Hednesford Park group has organised the event on Friday, October 31 from 4-6pm.

There will also be a fun fair, dance show, treasure hunt, stalls and a pumpkin competition.

A fancy dress parade takes place at 5.45pm with prizes for the best costumes. Treasure hunt participants should meet in the gazebo at 4pm.

Cindy Faulkner, committee member for the Friends of Hednesford Park, said similar events in previous years has attracted hundreds of people.

The 56-year-old mother-of-one, from Hednesford, said: "This is our fourth one. Last year we had about 700 people come along. We are hoping for a bigger response this year.

Parade

"It's normally a very happy event. We want to encourage them to come to the park rather than knock on doors trick or treating.

"There will be stalls, food and sweets. As well as the spooky storytelling, we will have a DJ playing spooky music. People can come down in fancy dress and we will be having a parade. We will judge the costumes and there will be prizes for that and the pumpkin competition."

A number of free workshops have also been organised at the park.

On October 27, youngsters will be able to make their own lanterns and must bring along an empty plastic bottle and torch. A great ghouls workshop will take place on October 28.

People can learn to craft their own pumpkin designs at a workshop on October 30 from noon to 3pm and a day later a spooky spider workshop will take place. More information is available on the Friends of Hednesford Park Facebook page.

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Charity workers' upset over second cabin raid

Charity volunteer Pat Wolfe at the Portakabin with Dennis Spencer, left, and Peter Fielding

CHARITY workers are distraught after the second break-in this year at a cabin where they hand out food and clothes to the needy.

Thieves struck at the hut in Beecroft Road, Cannock, escaping with boxes of food intended for those struggling to make ends meet.

The cabin, donated by Cannock Rotary Club, has been used by the Pye Green Youth and Community Services for seven years to provide food at lunchtimes five days a week. Volunteers hand out sandwiches, cake, crisps and a drink, feeding around 25-30 people a day. In winter, they also provide warm clothing.

For the last two years, the charity has shared the premises with the local food bank where people can pick up food parcels on Monday and Wednesday afternoons.

Volunteer

Raiders forced open a back door on the portable cabin, situated on the council house car park, before helping themselves to packets and tins of food.

Cannock police are investigating the break-in, which was discovered by volunteer Pat Wolfe as she went to open up last Wednesday, October 8.

She said: "You have to be very desperate to to steal from a food bank.

"As a charity we accept people as they are and try not to be judgmental but we are disappointed that this has happened."

The charity hut was also burgled eight months ago when the thieves got in through a tiny window and stole a small amount of money.

Mrs Wolfe said: "We really hope there isn't another break-in because this place means a lot to users."

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The children enjoyed Harvest activities before making their delivery to Abbey Court Nursing Home in Heath Hayes. Nursery manager Kelly Boden said: "Everyone had a lovely time taking the Harvest collection out into the community. The Harvest Festival activities are a fun way for children to learn more about fruits and vegetables."

Widow in legal bid over death of husband

THE widow of a former painter and decorator is calling on his former colleagues for help as she launches a legal plea.

Patricia Gardner has launched the appeal following the death of husband John from an asbestos-related cancer.

Mr Gardner died aged 69 on February 16, 2012 after a three-year battle with mesothelioma, a terminal cancer caused by exposure to harmful asbestos dust and fibres.

John and Patricia Gardner

His widow instructed specialist industrial disease lawyers at Irwin Mitchell to investigate her husband's former employers to see whether more could have been done to protect him.

The Willenhall couple moved to Cannock during their marriage and Mr Gardner began work for Sixsmith & Jesse, later known as Sixsmith (Decorations) and then HS Jesse & Son, between 1974 and 1992.

Projects

Mr Gardner worked on contracts for the refurbishment of schools, houses and pubs. Before his death, he recalled a number of projects where ceilings containing asbestos were being ripped out.

Iain Shoolbred, an expert industrial illness lawyer at Irwin Mitchell's Birmingham office, representing Mrs Gardner, said: "We hope that John's former colleagues will be able to come forward with any information about the conditions where he worked so we can gather evidence to see whether more could have been done to protect him from the deadly dust."

The father-of-three had a bad asthma attack in October 2008. A CT scan revealed he had developed pleural thickening. Over the next few months, the grandfather-of-seven and great-grandfather-of-one continued to struggle with breathing. He went back to his GP for further tests and a biopsy in February 2009 and was diagnosed with mesothelioma.

He underwent four courses of chemotherapy and his condition remained stable until February 2012 when he was admitted to New Cross Hospital and died a week later.

Mrs Gardner said: "Even though we all knew of his diagnosis it still was a shock to see him suffer like he did."

Anyone with details about the working conditions faced by Mr Gardner should call 0121 214 5446 or email iain.shoolbred@irwinmitchell.com

Smoke alarms checked after kitchen blaze

FIRE crews are to carry out potentially life-saving home risk checks in Huntington following a kitchen blaze.

Firefighters are keen to highlight the importance of having working smoke alarms fitted after investigations found there was none in the Fern Road home.

Carmel Warren, prevent manager for the west of the county, said: "It is absolutely vital that people have smoke alarms in their homes and that they are tested regularly to make sure they are working.

"We have had a number of very serious incidents where people have been alerted to a blaze because their smoke alarms have activated. The resident of the Fern Road house had a very lucky escape because he noticed that the grill pan had caught fire.

"The consequences could have been far more serious.

"I would urge anyone who does not have working smoke alarms fitted to contact us straight away."

Cannock and Stafford crews attended the incident just after 6.50pm on September 28. They fitted new smoke detectors before leaving the scene at around 7.20pm.

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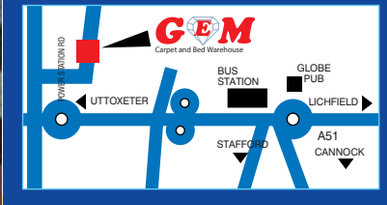

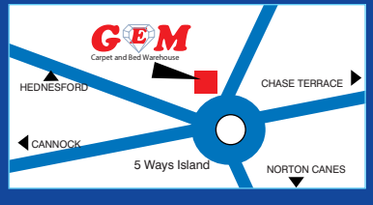

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Too hot for TV as comic Omid takes on inferno

Comedian Omid Djalili at the Dilshad restaurant with owner Tony Uddin

COMEDIAN Omid Djalili has taken on the world's hottest curry at a Cannock restaurant – and TV viewers can see how he gets on.

Djalili took on the Crocodile Inferno, at the Dilshad in Cannock Road, Chadsmoor, as part of a new documentary series called Hot and Dangerous.

The first programme in the series, which features The Dilshad, is being brodcast on the Quest Channel on Friday, October 24 at 9pm. The food programme looks at the culture and chemistry behind some of the hottest, most dangerous foods in Britain.

Djalili visited the Dilshad in the summer and took on the dish containing some of the world's hottest chillies at a packed restaurant.

Barrier

Owner Tony Uddin said: "Omid was in an awful lot of pain as he took on the Crocodile Inferno.

"I don't think he is a real fan of hot and spicy food which is the real twist in the show.

"It was very funny to watch him go through the pain barrier and it will make great TV but I won't be revealing just yet if he conquers the Crocodile Inferno.

"People will have to tune in and find out for themselves."

The curry is twice as hot as police tear gas and is rated at around six million on the scoville scale for heat. The dish is so hot the chef has to wear a gas mask while cooking it due to the overpowering chilli fumes.

Wez and Caroline Cartwright, from Swadlincote, Derbyshire, became the first people to complete the challenge. They wona T-shirt and a place in the restaurant's hall of fame.

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The 80-strong party consisted of 32 swimmers, their parents and siblings. The swimmers spent two hours in the pool and ended the training session with an mini-Olympic relay with bronze, silver and gold medals being presented to the teams.

Lynette Illidge, one of the organisers, said: "We certainly plan on returning as the pool and the park is an amazing legacy left behind from the 2012 Games."

£1m for homes scheme

MORE than 20 council houses will be built in Rugeley after the district council was given permission to borrow money for the project.

Cannock Chase Council will be handed £1 million – which must be paid back – as part of a Government drive to build more homes. It is one of 22 authorities across the country to be allowed to borrow the cash.

Sixty-five properties owned by the local authority will be built on the Moss Road estate in Chadsmoor – the first local authority homes in 25 years.

Now it has been revealed Rugeley will also get 21 homes. Talks are still ongoing on the location.

Council leader George Adamson said: "This is good news. We applied for permission to borrow the money and I'm glad we've got it. We're already building the first new council homes for 25 years and now Rugeley can benefit as well."

The homes in Cannock will replace 170 outdated flats which will be demolished. Housebuilder Keepmoat Homes will build the properties and work is due to start later in the year. Out of the 65 council houses, 30 will have two bedrooms, 27 will have three bedrooms and eight will have four bedrooms.

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Brides can bag bargain as wedding shop closes

BRIDES-TO-BE can bag their dream dress for their big day at a snip of the price after a wedding shop in Cannock announced it is closing down.

Formal Elegance owner Jane Heggie has decided to concentrate on her family and the Queen's Square store is hosting a closing down sale this weekend.

Mrs Heggie, aged 35, opened the shop in April 2011 but is now pregnant with her second child and has decided to shut up shop before the baby arrives early in the new year.

The businesswoman, who previously worked in politics for 12 years said: "This is not a decision that I have taken lightly but I am delighted to announce I am pregnant and after a number of complications with my first child I have decided now is the time to prioritise.

"We have spoken with all our customers and they have been very supportive. "

All srock must go in the closing down sale at Formal Elegance in Queen's Square

Jane Heggie from Formal Elegance bridal shop, which is closing down

Quick

The shop owner is inviting brides to pick up their dream gown with designers dresses on sale for less than £100, but with fewer than 30 still available, brides need to be quick.

She said: "We are now selling off our stock and designer bridal gowns start from £75 to £900.

"Adult bridesmaid gowns are £40 for shorter styles and just £65 for longer designs and all accessories are in the sale too."

She added: "I have loved being part of a bride's big day and thrilled with the reputation we have built up.

"A wedding dress is so much more than just a purchase and I wouldn't want my standards to slip.

"You become friends with your customers and become part of their special day.

"My favourite thing is seeing the emotion when a bride sees a dress and knows it is the one. Seeing a bride feel fantastic is the best part of this job."

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Business breakfast

THE deputy police and crime commissioner for Staffordshire is to speak to business leaders at a breakfast event.

Sue Arnold will be at the Chase Business Breakfast at Hilton Hall, Hilton Lane, Essington at 8.30am on October 29. Mrs Arnold, who has launched a strategy focussing on business crime, said: "We want to make Staffordshire a safe, healthy and aspirational place to live work, visit and do business. Businesses need to know that crime against them is not victimless and they will not be forgotten."

The event gives business chiefs the chance to network and set up links.

Passenger took the wheel of moving car

A PASSENGER spotted swapping places with a driver in a car while it was moving, sparking a police pursuit, has avoided an immediate custodial sentence.

The pursuit began when officers saw Josh Gair and the driver changing places in an open-top Ford Escort travelling at 40mph, with Gair getting into the driver's seat, Stafford Crown Court heard.

Report by Laura Blyth

The Escort failed to stop for the police and as it travelled through Lichfield, it reached speeds of 60mph, failed to give way at a junction and forced oncoming traffic to move out the way. Gair, who had been recognised by sight, eventually abandoned the car and ran off but was caught.

The court heard the incident happened exactly a month after Gair had been booked for another offence of dangerous driving in Burntwood.

The 20-year-old, of The Pines, Lichfield, admitted two charges of dangerous driving and two of driving while disqualified.

Banned

He was sentenced to 12 months' youth custody suspended for two years, ordered to do 150 hours' unpaid community work and banned from driving for a year. He will also have to pass an extended driving test before getting his licence back.

Recorder Mr Martin Hurst told him: "Over the last two or three years, you have become a menace. All the local police officers and PCSOs know you by name. One of them was able to shout to you 'stop Josh'.

"You are at a turning point in your life, it's in your hands to change it. You are only 20, I am going to take a chance on you."

Mr Stuart Clarkson, prosecuting, said the first incident happened in Burntwood on February 7. A woman police officer was directing traffic when Gair's Fiat Punto overtook a line of vehicles and narrowly missed the officer. As the car went by, she recognised Gair and shouted 'stop Josh'.

On March 7, officers saw the Escort mount a pavement near The Pines and followed it until the dangerous seat-swapping manoeuvre took place.

Gair accelerated, forcing a car in Park Lane to swerve and then going over a 'blind' bridge in Broad Lane at 30mph. The pursuit continued in to Whittington and after Gair failed to give way at crossroads, the police car drew alongside. Gair had then tried to run it off the road.

Inspection call made by health campaigners

CAMPAIGNERS have pledged to write to the Care Quality Commission to request another inspection into Stafford Hospital.

Findings released last week into said the loss of just one or two workers would mean staffing levels would be unsafe.

Now the members of Support Stafford Hospital campaign group say they want inspectors to visit the University Hospital of North Staffordshire in Stoke.

Campaigner Karen Howell said: "We want the CQC to inspect UHNS to look properly at their capacity and to see if they can cope with extra patients. We think it should happen as part of the risk assessment process that is going on."

Mid Staffordshire NHS Foundation Trust will be dissolved on November 1 with services transferred from Stafford to UHNS and from Cannock Hospital to New Cross Hospital in Wolverhampton.

The CQC inspection at Stafford revealed the departure of just a couple of members of staff in key posts would make certain wards unsustainable, including the winter escalation ward.

It also found that senior managers at the hospital are spending 'inordinate' amounts of time ensuring safe staffing levels are maintained while workers are 'fatigued' due to the constant attention directed towards the hospital.

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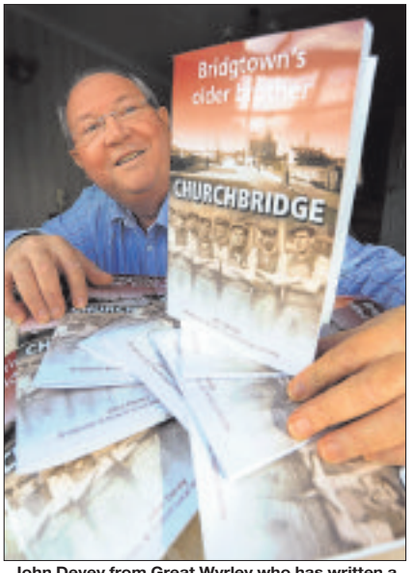

John Devey from Great Wyrley who has written a book about the history of Churchbridge

A HISTORY group will launch its latest book at an exhibition this weekend.

The fifth book of the Bridgtown and District Local History Society, called Bridgtown's older brother: Churchbridge by John Devey, will be unveiled on Sunday, October 19 at Bridgtown Social Club, in Walsall Road. Mr Devey will be holding a book signing between 10am and 2pm.

The book explores the early days of the village, the Roman road, its industrial beginnings, housing development, motoring and Churchbridge Garage, devastation of opencast mining, the Merrie England project and finally the destruction caused by the M6 Toll Road.

Retired accountant Mr Devey grew up on Walsall Road, Churchbridge, and now lives in Olde Hall Lane, Great Wyrley. The 67-year-old history society treasurer said: "This is my first book. I lived in Churchbridge from being a small boy. I know the area very well.

"Over the years it's disappeared. All that is left there now is housing and a pub."

The book , which is self-published by the history society, is priced at £6 and will be available at M E Preece newsagents, North Street, Bridgtown.

Thousands counting the cost of alcohol

ALCOHOL related healthcare cost the NHS £106.6 million in one year in Staffordshire and the Black Country new figures reveal.

More than a quarter of a million people – almost one in five – are classed as drinking so much they are at risk of damaging their health.

And a further 81,706 are considered to be drinking at very heavy levels which could prove harmful, according to charity Alcohol Concern.

By Daniel Wainwright

A new map detailing the costs and admissions to hospital or other services related to booze shows nearly a thousand people died in a single year through drink related illnesses in Staffordshire, Wolverhampton, Dudley, Sandwell and Walsall.

Admissions

Each adult treated for alcohol related illnesses or injuries costs between £62 and £74 in the Black Country and Staffordshire, more than the average £63.

Alcohol Concern found that total alcohol admissions – including inpatient and outpatient care and attendance at accident and emergency – hit 10 million cases last year, 10 per cent of them in the West Midlands alone. Alcohol-related healthcare costs in Staffordshire were an estimated £43.9m, equating to £62 per adult.

In Staffordshire and the Black Country the cost relating to 'hypertensive diseases' – caused by high blood pressure from drinking too much – was in excess of £28m.

There were also costs as a result of alcohol related breast cancer, head and neck cancer, gastro-intestinal cancers and epilepsy or epileptic seizures. In Staffordshire there were 399 deaths in 12 months due to alcohol, 99 of them from chronic liver disease.

Love is the key as BGT star Jean ties knot

SHE stole the show on Britain's Got Talent, delighting millions with her organ-playing antics.

But Jean Martyn put the music – not to mention her spangly jackets – to one side when she married long-term partner Bob Ware.

Mr Ware, who is also Jean's manager, popped the question two years ago to the former Cannock school music teacher.

The couple have now finally tied the knot, with the ceremony held at St Andrew's Church in Weston-under-Lizard. Jean was given away by her 96-year-old father Bert Watterson.

The couple have now departed for a honeymoon after what Jean, who now lives in Brewood, said was the happiest day of her life.

"It was a wonderful service with just our closest friends and family," the beaming bride said.

Jean Martyn marries Bob Ware

Jean and her father Bert, aged 96

Jean and Bob sign the register with granddaughter Milla, aged four

Fairytale

She added: "It's been the happiest day of my life. It was a fairytale."

Devoted Bob proposed while the two were enjoying a Baltic cruise. Jean said at the time she was 'over the moon'.

They met nine years ago through the Rotary Club of Brewood, where they were both members. When Bob lost his wife Jenny to a heart attack, Jean was going through a divorce. She played the organ at the memorial service and asked Bob if he would like to be her chaperone when she travelled to gigs.

It was in 2011 when Jean shot to national fame, reaching the final of Britain's Got Talent. She finished 10th overall and would soon perform in front of thousands at Birmingham's National Indoor Arena as part of the UK-wide Britain's Got Talent tour. In the same year, she played a two-hour show at Wolverhampton Civic Hall. Jean's fame continued to shine brightly and she appeared on Channel 5 show Big Brother and Loose Women, as well as Channel 4's The Paul O'Grady Show.

Jean even played at St James's Palace and Buckingham Palace. She continues to be in demand all over the country to entertain at concerts, but always finds time to play at St Mary and Chad Church in her home village of Brewood.

Jean said of Bob: "He is supportive. He really is the best friend I have ever had.

"He lifts me up when I am down. It is Bob that puts this smile on my face.

"Our friendship blossomed and we have been together ever since."

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Oh deer, stag caught up with rubbish

This image, taken by Walsall grandfather Jim Gear in Cannock, highlights man's impact on nature

WITH rubbish tangled over its antlers, this stag was spotted near a Cannock tip. It was snapped by Walsall grandfather Jim Gear, who believes the animal may have picked up the rubbish from the Poplars landfill site.

The 77-year-old, a member of Wolverhampton Photographic Society, spotted the stag as he was driving from his home in Primrose Close, Pelsall, to Cannock along the A460 Eastern Way. The retired company director said: "It was about 6pm or 7pm in the evening.

"I saw several deer but the one that caught my eye was the one with rubbish over its horns.

"It looked like it was covered in bits of rope, string and carpet. I've never seen anything like it before but I thought it might have something to do with the rutting season."

Countryside ranger Robert Taylor said it was not uncommon for this to happen during the rutting season, when stags start fighting each other as they pursue the females.

Mr Taylor said they may have picked up the rubbish whilst forming wallow holes.

"With areas such as landfill and tip sites, there can be bits of litter around which they can pick off the floor. It's not uncommon to see deep on the tip."

Sex offender is jailed

A MAN in his 60s who raped a woman and sexually assaulted her mother has been jailed for 12 years.

John Briggs treated the women like 'sexual playthings' and called them 'liars' when they complained to the police, Stafford Crown Court heard.

The abuse came light last June when the rape victim, who cannot be identified, summoned up the courage to tell a social worker.

At the time, her mother had no idea that Briggs, of Stafford Road, Huntington, had also molested her daughter. Mr Tim Harrington, prosecuting, said Briggs sexually attacked the women when he was alone with each of them. The daughter was also raped. The offences took place last year.

Briggs, aged 65, admitted a total of five sexual offences against the mother and the same number against her daughter, including a charge of rape.

Serious

The court heard that Briggs had been sent to Borstal in 1966 for serious sexual offences. In 1998 he was put on probation for indecently assaulting three youngsters. Miss Catherine O'Reilly, defending, said: "He knows he faces a substantial period in custody.

"He has mental difficulties and suffers from angina. He is struggling to come to terms with his actions."

Recorder Mr Martin Hurst branded Briggs 'a danger to vulnerable women' and added a further five years licence period to his 12-year term.

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Rising star Sunjay has got it all

Sunjay Brayne, Newhampton Folk Club, Wolverhampton

WITHOUT doubt one of the coolest guys to come out of the Black Country, Sunjay Brayne has the look, the talent, the youth and is a damn good entertainer who knows how to capture an audience and hold them.

Kicking off with what is almost his signature tune, Love You Like A Man, his foot-stomping blues straight away showcased just why he is so popular being nominated for and winning awards as well being given national air time on Mark Radcliffe's Radio2 folk show.

The precision with which he uses his guitar is awesome and yet he makes it look easy. He knows how to work an audience and by just his second song, Freight Train, had them eating out of his hand. He did a shook up version of Donovan's Colours before going into Can't Shake These Blues, his voice a little too mellow for this one but his incredible guitar playing more than made up.

For his encore he did A Folk Singer Earns Every Dime a cappella and blasted out a tribute to Bo Diddley with Who Do You Love?

Brayne is the full package, if you ever want to get your money's worth then go and see him.

Danny Farragher

REVIEWS

Bluegrass magic from Jaywalkers

Jaywalkers, Woodman Folk Club, Kingswinford

SHORT of going back a couple of generations in Tennessee, the next best way to hear one of the most authentic bluegrass sounds is listen to this trio from the North West.

With Michael Giverin on mandolin and guitar, Jay Bradbury on vocals and fiddle and Lucy Williams on double bass and harmonies they create a fantastic old time, boot-stomping, barn-shaking sound.

Opening with a jug band tune, Big Sciota, it straight away showed Bradbury's incredible fiddle playing which is matched perfectly by her deep, rich voice which gave her a mesmerising quality as she took the trio into Road to Columbus.

Their own song, Cool My Body Down, called on Giverin's subtle mandolin followed by Bradbury's torch style singing, joined by Williams slapping the bass like she was exorcising a demon.

Danny Farragher

Caro in fine voice for her biggest concert yet

Caro Emerald, NIA, Birmingham

VINTAGE style and artfully tweaked retro sounds came to Birmingham when Dutch diva Caro Emerald paid her third visit to the city and took things to the max with the biggest headline concert of her career so far.

Having previously played the Symphony Hall, this time six thousand fans came to see the glamorous two lips from Amsterdam at the NIA. They were treated to an hour and three quarters set which covered most of the tracks from her two hit albums, Deleted Scenes From The Cutting Room Floor and The Shocking Miss Emerald.

Jazzy sounds with a hip hop twist have provided her hits but the 33-year-old chanteuse is at greatest ease on big sultry ballads, her left hand constantly fluttering as she channels the emotion.

Jazz singer Caro Emerald

This was evident right from the start with I Belong To You, made even moodier by its twangy guitar.

She was first seen in a ribbed red 50s style dress that didn't flatter her, though helped those at the back locate her in the absence of big screens. She changed twice, into a stylish black and white checked dress, then a dark top with shimmering poodle skirt.

Despite a succession of catchy finger-popping numbers, including Tangled Up and Pack Up The Louie, it took quite some coaxing to get the audience on their feet.

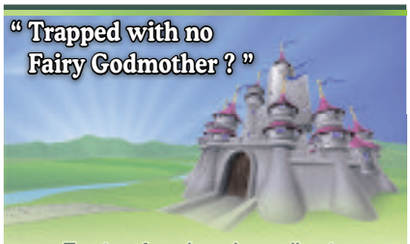
The determined Miss Emerald and her crack eight-piece band, including brass section, violinist, rubber-legged guitarist and record scratching turntablist, finally got the crowd bopping with hangover anthem Liquid Lunch.

The gig went up a notch after a sassy cover of Shirley Bassey's History Repeating, as Caro kicked off her high heels and went barefoot for the final numbers.

She closed with the irresistible Stuck, returning for her breakthrough hit Back It Up and A Night Like This.

Poignantly, her last song was the one that made her aware of her own talent as a child at a school concert, a lovely version of Dream a Little Dream of Me.

Leon Burakowski



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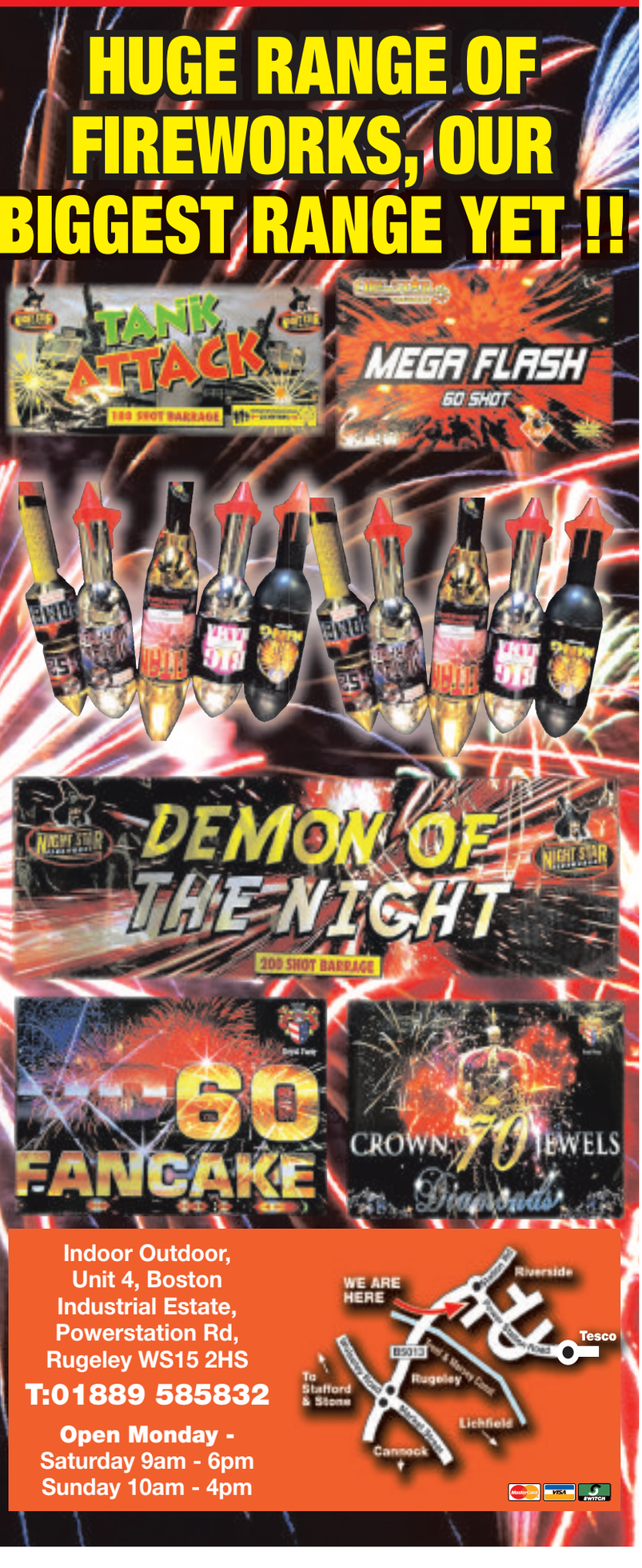

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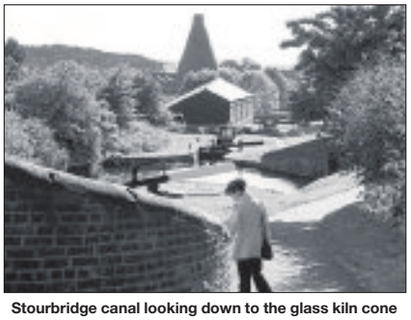
The glass industry was linked to canals

Birchills Power Station near the canal

Secret history of waterways is brought to life by canals expert

Caggy Stevens of Tipton, one of the last to horseboat


Stourbridge canal looking down to the glass kiln cone

AS the industrial revolution took hold in the 18th century, canals spawned a radical new transport that became the arteries of the national economy.

Now, hundreds of years later, after being rescued from decline and neglect, the region's network is experiencing a rejuvenation as a place of leisure and recreation.

In his new book called Waterways of the West Midlands, Robert Davies, formerly of Tipton, delves into the unexplored history surrounding the great West Midland canal network.

Through interviews with some of the last great boatmen, he reveals a new insight into its fascinating history including intriguing places and people. The 60-year-old's interest in the inland waterways was first sparked 20 years ago when, after being off work ill, he learned about the early years of the canals from a friend.

Growing up in Tipton, he says he 'could not miss' the canals and had always been a familiar element of life in the Black Country. "The West Midlands has made and continues to make a huge contribution to the story of the inland waterways of Great Britain," he said.

MEMORY LANE

Report by Rob Golledge

"Yes, the Birmingham Canal Navigations (BCN) has lost some of its original waterways, and that is a sad fact, but it is still an amazing place to visit, and its history is rich and varied.

"Add that to the other great associated waterways – the Staffordshire and Worcestershire; the Worcester and Birmingham; the Trent and Mersey; and of course, the River Severn, and you have enough waterways to spend a lifetime exploring."

The book starts off looking at the Stourport and its origin as a canal town. "Stourport is my first choice because, in 1772, that is where James Brindley placed the terminus of his Staffordshire and Worcestershire (S&W) Canal; and what a treasure that town has been for more than 200 years," he said.

Mr Davies also looks at some canal pioneers as he traces the reasons for their creation. "Historical figures are an essential part of this book, and such noteworthies as Boulton and Watt, John Corbett, and Josiah Wedgwood add to the tale of how the canals came to be and how useful they were to the 18th and 19th-century industrialists and entrepreneurs," he said.

"Of course, contrasted with these worthies are the ordinary working boatmen, and I have been fortunate to be able to get the life stories of two to add to our understanding of the last few decades of the industrial canal.

"At a horseboating demonstration at a recent boating rally, a young lady volunteer was heard to say, 'That doesn't look safe. I don't think the canals were designed for horses', prompting older ones to quickly put her right: that indeed the canals, and especially the towpath were designed for horses, just as much as they were made for narrowboats."

Mr Davies estimates that around 15,000 horses, mules or donkeys were pulling boats on the canals during their heyday.

The book looks at the links between the Stourbridge canal and the glass industry, as well as the industry on the Walsall canals where a man named Jack Haddock captured some of its last working days in photograph.

In the book, Mr Haddock explains: "My first recollections of Walsall were of a view from the balcony of a Corporation tramcar, as it rose over the steep hump of narrow canal bridge en route to Bloxwich. As you approached the bridge, there was the majestic sight of Pratt's Flour Mill with its imposing height and numerous small windows covered in flour dust."

Mr Davies describes himself as a part-time author and full-time canal enthusiast. This is his fourth book published by The History Press, his previous including Boats, Smoke, Steam and Folk and Midlands Canal Carriers. The book is £14.99.

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Word is Seth's in for a busy time

WITH a gruelling album tour started new father of twins Seth Lakeman finds time to talk to DANNY FARRAGHER

Virtuoso fiddle player Seth Lakeman who is playing a sold out show in

THERE is an urban myth that men can't multi-task.

Well word of mouth is one of the most in-demand musicians around at the moment, Seth Lakeman, blows that ideology out of the water.

New father of twins, studio producer, multi-instrumentalist, singer/songwriter and member of his own band and the award-winning collective, The Full English, is half way through a 14-date UK tour promoting his latest album and wowing audiences with his incredible passion for music. Not a bad tally for a man.

And as Lakeman talks before the beginning of the tour he has an upbeat tone to his voice, not unlike an excited child about to set off on holiday rather than a musician starting a gruelling nationwide journey which sees him play to a sold out show at Town Hall, Birmingham tonight and as part of The Full English at Warwick Arts Centre later this month.

Juggle

"We are looking forward to the tour and there are other things coming in, which is great. It's important to keep yourself busy. There is a lot to juggle at the moment."

Lakeman and his wife Hannah, who has recently returned from maternity leave to her job as a nurse, were married in 2012.

Just over a year ago they became proud parents of twins, a boy and a girl, and of course this has changed the dynamics of the Lakeman lifestyle.

"It gets complicated. I suppose for years I was very much ploughing a professional furrow, working and that was what I loved, but when life changes and you've got home to think about and be there, it becomes very complex.

"I am just trying to be back home as much as possible. It's just keeping that balance which is important. .

The album, released in February, has done something folk albums, traditionally, are not supposed to do – crossed over and been lauded in the mainstream pop world which has come as something of a surprise to the performer from Buckland Monachorum, West Devon. "Word of Mouth has been received very well, much better than I could have expected. People have got the concept behind it, and people who are not particularly into folk seem to be getting it too.

"It was a big experiment for me."

Friday will be one of the many times Lakeman has played in the Midlands and he feels he always gets a good reception here.

"We always do really well in the Midlands; the Town Hall is sold out. It's a great one for us to come to, it's an amazing venue, it really is gorgeous."

Seth Lakeman also appears with The Full English on October 31 at Warwick Arts Centre.

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By 2016 some 95 per cent of households in the county will have the 'superfast' broadband, with council leaders saying it will bring a huge boost to the economy.

Delays for users over works on rail track

RAIL track between Staffordshire and Walsall will need to be lowered as part of the multi-million pound electrification of the Chase Line, leading to disruption for commuters.

Network Rail have confirmed there will be planned railway closures as part of the project, which they say needs to be carried out to enable room for overhead power lines to be installed.

By Craig Hughes

The work is due to take place later this year and run into the spring and it is expected there will be diversions and buses put on as an alternative for rail travellers.

Some bridges are being rebuilt and made higher to accommodate the equipment but Network Rail has confirmed other parts of £30m scheme includes lowering the track.

Parts of the existing line will be removed and some digging work carried out to allow the line to be lower down.

Reliable

Areas where this needs to done are Sneyd Lane, Leamore Lane, Green Lane, Coalpool Lane, Littleton Street, Bloxwich Road, Forest Lane and Wyrley and Essington canal aqueduct.

In a statement the rail company said: "Network Rail is electrifying 15 miles of railway between Walsall, Hednesford and Rugeley Trent Valley to help provide a more regular and reliable train service for passengers.

"As well as rebuilding bridges to create the clearance needed for overhead power lines, the track under certain bridges will be lowered to create that space.

"This is achieved by removing existing track and rebuilding the railway at a lower height.

"The work will be carried out during planned closures of the railway between now and spring 2015 which have been kept as short as possible to cause the least disruption.

"Passengers are advised to always check before they travel at www.nationalrail.co.uk for the latest information."

It comes as four months of roadworks will hit motorists during bridge replacement work which got underway this week.

A higher bridge being built in Central Drive, Bloxwich began on Tuesday with the project expected to take until February 20.

The adjacent level crossing at Reeves Street will remain open throughout the scheme.

Similar work is to be carried out on North Street, which is a busy cut through into Walsall town centre, during the same period. Diversions will be in place for motorists.

Bridge replacement work was carried out in Broad Lane, Bloxwich, earlier this year but sparked complaints due to delays in it being finished.

Policy change allows greater say on support

YOUNG people with special educational needs will be given a greater say in the support they receive.

Staffordshire County Council is overhauling its system as part of a Government reform and the authority's cabinet was setting out this week how it plans to 'revolutionise' the support young people get.

The 'Doing Things Differently' programme gives Staffordshire young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) greater rights to have a say when they turn 16. For the first time, it also extends the support they receive up until 25.

In Staffordshire, this means more people will be able to have a bigger influence and greater access to the support available to them.

County Councillor Ben Adams, cabinet member for learning and skills said: "The 'Doing Things Differently' programme completely transforms the way we work with and for children and young people.

"These changes will enable families to have more choice and more say and it is fantastic that this will now be extended to young people until they reach 25."

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A POTENTIALLY life-saving machine that can be used to help resuscitate people who have suffered a heart attack has been installed at Penkridge Fire Station.

The defibrillator can be found on the wall at the side of the Boscomoor Lane station.

Penkridge firefighters raised part of the money to pay for the emergency equipment. Part of the funding was also provided by Penkridge & District Round Table.

It is the third device to be installed in the village with one at the Hodson Ford building on Lyne Hill Industrial Estate and another at Monckton Recreation Centre on Pinfold Lane.

Penkridge Community First Responders manage and maintain all of the defibrillators in the village.

By Adam Burling

Located

Fire station manager Graham Mills said: "There is absolutely no doubt that defibrillators save lives. The first one to be located in Penkridge was used effectively just two weeks after it was installed and proves just how vital they can be when someone suffers a heart attack."

Victoria Tufail, Community Response Manager for West Midlands Ambulance Service, added: "Penkridge and District Round Table and local firefighters have done an excellent job in raising funds in order to purchase this piece of life-saving equipment.

"Having the defibrillator installed and people trained in its use, helps to ensure that should anyone within the community suffer a cardiac arrest, they can receive treatment as quickly as possible, whilst an ambulance is en-route."

Chris Roddie, chairman of Penkridge & District Round Table, said: "Members of Penkridge & District Round Table are proud once again to support our community with the installation of this further defibrillator in the village."

Lauren Baker with a stick insect at the Rodbaston campus Animal Zone

Face fears at Animal Zone event

SOUTH Staffordshire College's Animal Zone at Rodbaston hosts a Halloween spectacular on October 31.

Visitors can 'Face Your Fears', where the Animal Zone will dare them to get up close and personal with things that crawl and slither and make them shiver, followed by the award of a certificate for bravery.

The challenge takes place during the half-term programme, from October 25 to November 2, where families can meet the 750 varities housed at the centre.

It will feature a Comfort Corner for when it's all a bit too scary, a trick or treat hunt and a chance to drop in on Creature Features and feeding sessions.

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Bricklayer in final of competition

A BRICKLAYING apprentice from Penkridge has reached the final of a national construction competition at the NEC in Birmingham.

James Callagher, aged 20, will compete in the SkillBuild 2014 final after being named in the top three bricklayers in the regional heats.

More than 60 young construction trainees will battle it out in their chosen trade such as bricklaying, wall and floor tiling and painting and decorating.

The Stafford College student is up against trainees from Leicestershire, Hampshire and East Yorkshire. The national final will see the top 10 competitors from each skill across the 14 regional heats.

The competition is organised and supported by the Construction Industry Training Board (CITB).

Flower club inspiration

A FLORIST demonstrates to Penkridge Flower Club next week.

Julie Brookes, owner of Lavender Florists in Penkridge, is demonstrating on the theme of Inspiration on Monday, October 20, from 7.30pm at Peace Memorial Hall, Pinfold Lane.

Refreshments will be available and there will be a sales table. Admission is £4 on the door.

Sugar free fundraiser at dentist

A PENKRIDGE dental practice put a different twist on their 'world's biggest coffee morning' event.

Staff at the The Priors Dental Practice, in Pinfold Lane, offered sugar free cakes, savoury muffins, biscuits and snacks as it took part in the nationwide event for Macmillan Cancer Support.

Patients and local residents were invited to visit the practice to enjoy the fun event without risking tooth decay.

Practice manager Lindsey Edwards said: "Supporting charities is always really important to us and we wanted to hold a coffee morning with a difference," she said. "We all know that sugar is one of the biggest causes of tooth decay, so we wanted our patients to join in – but without any of the guilt of splurging on sugar."

Church plea for Harvest

THE Harvest Festival at St Michael's & All Angels Church, Penkridge, takes place this weekend.

Church staff are asking for tinned, dried or packet food ahead of Sunday's service, October 19.

These will be given to International Aid and the Women's Refuge. They can be brought in on the morning of the service or left in the church beforehand.

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Maternity unit petition

MORE than 1,200 people have signed a petition calling on council bosses to take legal action to stop maternity services, emergency surgery and the children's ward being taken from Stafford Hospital.

The petition calls for the council to stop the services being transferred to the University Hospital of North Staffordshire. It asks the council to 'seek an immediate injunction to prevent essential services being removed from Stafford Hospital until a proper validation has been made of the proposals upon which such removals are based'.

Protesters say HS2 link looks set to stay

CAMPAIGNERS claim a planned link between the HS2 line and Stafford is set to stay – despite suggestions it could be scrapped.

By Adam Burling

Residents living between Lichfield and Rugeley had hoped a nine-mile link through Handsacre would be thrown out by HS2 boss Sir David Higgins in his new report later this month after he suggested it could be scrapped to speed up construction of the £50 billion line.

If the link was axed it would mean Stafford losing its planned high speed service, but would save 2.6 miles of Staffordshire countryside.

However, campaigners now say they have been told that it will stay in the proposals, to the delight of Stafford council chiefs who say it will provide a huge boost to the area.

Under the plans, high speed trains will come off at Lichfield and pass through Stafford Station on existing lines when the first phase is complete.

Existing

Once the second phase is finished the majority of high speed trains will not use the link to Stafford with only an hourly service between the county town and London joining up with the HS2 line at Lichfield before it goes on Handsacre.

Stafford Borough Council leader Mike Heenan said without the link Stafford would be 'cut off' from HS2.

He added: "Although we are not convinced there is a case for HS2 as a whole, we want the Handsacre link because it gives some prominence to Stafford. Otherwise the town would have been bypassed by the whole system.

"This will make Stafford the next stop linking to HS2 and would be a boost if the whole project is going to go ahead, though we are still committed to fighting for compensation for residents and reducing the impact on them."

Campaigners say the Handsacre link is not needed as HS2 would already join up with the West Coast Mainline in Crewe.

Lichfield MP Michael Fabricant had called for the link to be removed from plans amid fears it would ruin countryside and see house prices plummet.

Stop HS2 Campaign Manager Joe Rukin said: "HS2 was simply not designed properly from the outset, because it was never thought through properly.

"Any redesign is a half admission of the reality: that the whole thing should be scrapped, and we should actually have a proper analysis of what this country actually needs in terms of transport infrastructure, before billions are wasted on a white elephant vanity project which will only increase our woes."

A HS2 spokesman would not confirm the link was being retained and added: "Full details will be given in the report later this month."

Sir David will present his report on October 27.

Thousands of children join in book challenge

NEARLY 14,000 children took part in a reading challenge across Staffordshire during the summer holidays.

Sixty per cent of those children completed the task of reading at least six books over the summer holidays and claimed their rewards.

A special poster will be displayed in every county library, giving the numbers of those involved, and thanking all the youngsters, parents, volunteers and school staff who took part.

The annual challenge was designed to keep youngsters reading when they are not at school.

Some 13,890 children joined the challenge – including 1,596 across Cannock Chase and 2,067 in the South Staffs district – and 8,339 finished it.

Libraries chief Councillor Mike Lawrence said: "Once again the county's youngsters have risen to the challenge with gusto – and it's only right that we thank them for signing up and making the scheme such a great success.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Fewer injuries in house blazes

THE number of fires involving homes where people have been injured has fallen by 18 per cent in the last year in Staffordshire.

There were 305 of the blazes from April to June 2014 compared to 372 for the same period in 2013.

New figures also reveal there were 112 accidental house fires during that time, 25 lower than the same period the year before.

The number of small fires excluding grass had decreased by 21 from 381 to 360 when compared to the same three months the year before. Grass fires for the period April to June 2014 had decreased by 331, from 510 to 179, a reduction of 60 per cent.

Driver arrested

A MOTORIST was arrested by traffic police on suspicion of drink driving on the M6 Toll road in Staffordshire. Central Motorway Police Group responded to a call over a driver allegedly seen swerving on the main route on Monday afternoon.

Shugborough put to bed

STAFF and volunteers at Shugborough Hall are preparing to put the house to bed for the winter.

The attraction shuts to the public on October 24 and does not open again until mid-March.

This weekend is the Putting Shugborough to Bed Weekend where visitors can watch and learn all about the huge winter cleaning and conservation programme carried out at the stately home.

Treasured artefacts are checked over and cleaned before they are covered up so they can be preserved for future generations.

Before it closes its doors to the public on October 24, the team at Shugborough work around the clock to get it ready for its almost five-month hibernation.

Report by Laura Blyth

Summer

General manager Steve Dodd said: "This weekend is our last weekend open to visitors. We have a small exhibition on so visitors can see what we do over the winter months.

"The house and all its artefacts have been on display over the summer so all objects are checked thoroughly and cleaned. When that is done they are all covered up and any minor repairs are made.

"We have about 10 people that help put the house to bed."

Putting Shugborough to Bed Weekend runs from 11am until 4.30pm on both Saturday and Sunday.

Despite it closing to the public, Shugborough is still is open for special events planned for the next few months, including the annual Halloween Spooktacular on October 31 and a fireworks display on Saturday, November 8 as well as Christmas events in December.

House guide Terry Milward polishes the furniture as staff get ready to close Shugborough Hall down for the winter

Warning over spate of luxury car thefts

LUXURY cars in Staffordshire have been targeted in a spate of thefts. Some 22 vehicles were stolen across the county during a three-month period.

Officers say instead of trying to steal the keys from people's homes, thieves have now worked out how to start the cars without them.

Officers plan to issue equipment that drivers can fit to their cars to stop thieves bypassing the ignition to start them.

Police say between May and August there were 23 keyless thefts across the county of luxury cars. A number of the thefts are said to have taken place in the south Staffordshire area.

Staffordshire Police Superintendent Ian Coxhead said: "In addition to issuing these devices, we are continuing to ask owners to take preventative measures."

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Killer Morris was chained right up to the very end

CHILD killer Raymond Morris was handcuffed and in chains while receiving life-saving treatment in prison, an investigation has revealed.

The Cannock Chase murderer, locked-up for life over the rape and murder of Walsall schoolgirl Christine Darby, died in HMP Preston 10 days after deciding to stop treatment for leukaemia. His funeral was funded by the taxpayer.

An inquiry into the 84-year-old's death showed Morris was accompanied by two prison officers at all times when undergoing treatment and said that there was 'no evidence' that handcuffs and a long escort chain were removed.

Morris served 45 years for killing seven-year-old Christine in 1967. He was also the prime suspect in the killings of Diane Tift, aged five, of Bloxwich, and Margaret Reynolds, six, of Aston, who vanished in 1965.

All three bodies were found dumped within miles of each other beside the A34 on Cannock Chase in 1966 and 1967. Each had been sexually assaulted and strangled. The killings sparked one of the biggest murder investigations in British criminal history.

Morris, who used to live at Green Lane, Walsall, was sentenced to life at Stafford Assizes in February 1969. He died on March 11 this year just hours after being transferred to the healthcare centre at HMP Preston.

But Prisons and Probation Ombudsman Nigel Newcomen has written to the governor of HMP Wymott in Lancashire, where Morris spent the last 14 years of his life, to warn that restraining 'low risk' and 'sick' prisoners during treatment could be regarded as 'inhumane'.

Child killer Raymond Morris

Restrained

The inquiry into his death revealed Morris still had some contact with relatives and an old friend. Relatives told the investigation they felt his overall care was not to the same standard to be expected had he been a free man.

But Mr Newcomen described the overall standard of clinical care received by Morris as 'equal' to that he could have expected outside of prison.

He did express concerns, however, over how the murderer was restrained by staff, adding there was no evidence the escort chain was removed while Morris made hospital visits or when receiving dialysis treatment. Healthcare staff did also state that he still had the ability to escape, Mr Newcomen said.

The investigation was carried out as a legal requirement in line with all prisoner deaths. It found Morris died a 'peaceful' and 'painless' death. He was able to have a say in the timing of his death by deciding to stop medical treatment.Mr Newcomen's report revealed how his health gradually deteriorated over the past three years, showing the first signs of kidney failure and chronic myeloid leukaemia in 2011. Until that point he had lived a healthy life behind bars, the report states.

Then he was given a series of treatments, including blood transfusions, a biopsy, and regular dialysis. During this he asked medical staff not to resuscitate him in the event of a cardiac or respiratory arrest.

On March 1 this year he signed a disclaimer rejecting active medical treatment and died 10 days later – but did not want his family to know.

He was transferred to the medical unit at HMP Preston in Lancashire on March 10 and died the next day.

The investigation also reveals that Morris considered one last bid for freedom in June 2012 when he instructed a solicitor to make an application for release on compassionate grounds. But the papers were never filed.

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Delays to cemetery extension

THE extension of a cemetery in Rugeley has been hit by delays.Work at Stile Cop Cemetery was due to start in the spring.

Although some minor preparatory works have been completed, the main bulk of the project has not yet begun. A total of 1,200 plots are being created to cope with demand at a cost of £300,000.

Cannock Chase Council says the delay is down to the large scale of the project and say officers have also been tied up with other projects.

Head of leisure and culture Mike Edmonds said the work was now due to start early next year.

Driver escapes after car overturns

A DRIVER managed to escape unhurt after his car overturned on a busy route in Cannock.

The silver Hyundai ended up on its roof after the accident on the Walsall Road by the Churchbridge island heading out of the town.

The driver managed to get out of the car and speak to police shortly after the accident happened at around 5.45pm on Sunday. Police closed the road towards Walsall and Brownhills while recovery work took place.

Pieces of glass and a broken wing mirror were left strewn across the road.

In a separate crash, a woman was taken to hospital for emergency treatment after a three-car crash saw her pinned between the central reservation of the M6 and her car on Saturday night.

Emergency crews were called to the accident on the southbound carriageway between junctions 15 for Stoke and 14 for Stafford just after 7pm.

The motorway was closed for five hours.

It is thought the crash was originally minor and took place between two cars.

However a third car is believed to have then collided with the two cars concerned. They were stationary in the outside lane, and its occupants out of the car.

A 65-year-old woman suffered serious injuries to her right leg and was taken to University Hospital North Staffordshire in Stoke.

Two lanes of the northbound carriageway were closed for around two hours while the southbound stretch was shut for around five hours.

The motorway was completely reopened by midnight.

The scene near the Orbital Retail Park, Cannock, after a Hyundai car overturned

Businesses sought for careers event

BUSINESSES are being sought to pass on careers advice for pupils.

The evening takes place on November 13 from 6-8pm at Chase Terrace Technology College in Bridge Cross Road, Burntwood for students aged 15-to-19. Free stands are on offer to organisations that could offer expert advice.

Companies already signed up include Barclays, JCB, Jobcentre, Morrisons and Jaguar Land Rover. Advice will also come from universities, colleges, apprenticeships and training providers as well as representatives from the Army, Police, RAF and Fire Service. For more information call 01543 682286.

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This Saturday, October 18, Southwater will truly come to life with a day of entertainment to celebrate its grand opening and everyone is invited.

From 2pm there will be quality food and craft stalls in Southwater Square, live music on the Free Radio stage plus dance and entertainment from a range of street theatre artists, as well as a whole host of activities taking place across Telford Town Park and Southwater One.

Why not plan your day and visit one of the many facilities already open in Southwater such as the 11 screen IMAX Cinema? Try your hand at ice skating or bowling or maybe you're a thrill seeker and would like to have a go at the high ropes course set among the trees in Telford Town Park?

Also don't forget to plan ahead and make a reservation at one of Southwater's new restaurants. There is lots on offer at Bella Italia, Mimosa, Harvester, Chimichanga, Pizza Express, Nando's and Zizzi's.

The day will end with a bang when Free Radio presenters Sam and Mark take the stage at 6pm entertaining the crowds and counting down to a theatrical grand opening ceremony with an underwater themed procession of giant fish lanterns and music around the lake followed by a firework grand finale at 8.30pm.

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CHOICE

David Attenborough

The Jonathan Ross Show (ITV, 10.20pm)

New series. The host is back – and he's starting as he means to go on with a very impressive line-up of guests. Jonathan is joined by legendary broadcaster David Attenborough, whose ambitious new natural history series, Life Story, begins on BBC One this week. He isn't the only TV big-hitter taking up residence on the sofa, as Jonathan also chats to Mel B and her fellow X Factor judge Cheryl, who is giving her first interview since she became Mrs Fernandez-Versini. Hollywood is represented by actor Steve Carrell, star of The 40 Year-Old Virgin and the voice of Gru in the Despicable Me films, while music comes from Paolo Nutini – unless Jonathan can persuade Mel and Cheryl to give us a song as well.

BBC1

6.00 Breakfast. **10.00** Saturday Kitchen Live. **11.30** James Martin: Home Comforts. (R) **12.00** BBC News; Weather. **12.10** Football Focus. **12.50** Saturday Sportsday. **1.00** Bargain Hunt. (R) **2.00** Homes Under the Hammer. (R) **3.00** Escape to the Country. (R) **4.00** Final Score. **5.20** BBC News; Regional News; Weather. **5.40** Pointless Celebrities.

6.30 Strictly Come Dancing. The pro-celebrity couples dress up to the nines for another ballroom battle, and are all smiles as they bid to get their names near the top of the leaderboard while secretly hoping their rivals fall flat on their faces during their routines. Whatever the quality, another pair will be leaving tomorrow – and the ultimate decision will be down to judges Len Goodman, Bruno Tonioli, Craig Revel Horwood and Darcey Bussell. Tonight they have their say on the performances and give their scores as usual, while Tess Daly keeps things ticking over and Claudia Winkleman gets the celebrities' reactions as they leave the dance floor.

8.25 Doctor Who. Clara faces a menace from another dimension, an enemy that exists beyond human perception. She has people to save, but it proves impossible when the walls provide no protection.

9.10 Casualty. A man dies from a mysterious injury, leaving Connie wondering whether she missed something. Cal and Ethan discover a rare virus that connects two patients. Hospital drama, starring Amanda Mealing, George Rainsford and Richard Winsor as the emergency medics.

10.00 The National Lottery Live. Gaby Roslin reveals the numbers for the Lotto and Thunderball draws.

10.10 BBC News; Weather.

10.30 Match of the Day. Gabby Logan presents highlights of the latest Premier League clashes, which included Arsenal v Hull City at the Emirates Stadium and Everton v Aston Villa at Goodison Park; National Lottery Update.

11.55 The Football League Show. Manish Bhasin presents highlights and all the goals from the latest fixtures in the Championship, League One and League Two, including Reading v Derby County.

1.15 Weather for the Week Ahead. **1.20** BBC News.

BBC2

6.00 This Is BBC Two. **6.35 Film:** The Magic Box. (1951) **8.20 Film:** The Story of Vernon and Irene Castle. (1939) **9.50** The Trials of Life. (R) **10.40** The Trials of Life. (R) **11.30** Map Man. (R) **12.00** Rick Stein's Mediterranean Escapes. (R) **1.00 Film:** Rock Around the Clock. (1956) **2.15 Film:** Guys and Dolls. (1955) **4.40** Flog It! (R) **5.30** The £100K House: Tricks of the Trade. (R)

6.30 Gardeners' World. Monty Don has timely advice on getting gardens ready for winter, while Carol Klein meets a nurseryman in Herefordshire to witness the seasonal beauty of the Japanese maple. (R)

7.00 Restoring England's Heritage. Tom Holland visits buildings on the English Heritage "at risk" list – a back-garden windmill in East Sussex, a dockyard church in Sheerness on the Isle of Sheppey and Hadlow Tower.

7.30 Penguins – Spy in the Huddle. Having grown up and become independent, all the penguins leave for the sea, tackling the same hazards as their parents before them. (R)

8.30 Dad's Army. A secret weapon goes haywire and threatens Walmington-on-Sea, so Mainwaring and his platoon speed to the rescue in Corporal Jones's van. (R)

9.00 Schama on Rembrandt: Masterpieces of the Late Years. Simon Schama celebrates the masterpieces that Rembrandt created in later life, paintings he believes speak more directly about the human condition than the artist's earlier works. Shown to coincide with the National Gallery's major exhibition on the artist's later works.

10.00 The Culture Show: Rankin Shoots Rembrandt. The photographer interprets the Dutch master's portraits of old age.

10.30 QI XL. Extended edition. Lloyd Langford, Victoria Coren Mitchell and Jack Whitehall join regular panellist Alan Davies as host Stephen Fry asks questions about literature and language.

11.15 Film: The Way. (2010) Premiere. A doctor decides to complete the historical journey through the Pyrenees that his son died while making. Comedy drama, starring Martin Sheen.

1.20 TOTP2. (R) **2.15** This Is BBC Two.

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6.00 CITV: Fort Boyard Ultimate Challenge. **6.25** Pat & Stan. (R) **6.35** Pat & Stan. (R) **6.40** Dino Dan: Trek's Adventures. (R) **6.50** Dino Dan: Trek's Adventures. (R) **7.05** Canimals. (R) **7.10** Canimals. (R) **7.20** Signed Stories: Share a Story. (R) **7.25** Sooty. (R) **7.40** Mr Bean: The Animated Series. (R) **7.50** Matt Hatter Chronicles. **8.20** Horrid Henry. **8.30** The Munch Box. **9.25** The Hungry Sailors. (R) **10.20** Murder, She Wrote. (R) **11.20** ITV News; Weather. **11.30** Storage Hoarders. (R) **12.30** May the Best House Win. (R) **1.30 Film:** Columbo: Forgotten Lady. (1975) Crime drama, starring Peter Falk and Janet Leigh. **3.35 Film:** The Lost World: Jurassic Park. (1997) Dinosaur adventure sequel, with Jeff Goldblum.

6.05 Regional Programme; Weather.

6.15 ITV News; Weather.

6.30 New You've Been Framed! Surreal comedy with Harry Hill, inspired by viewers' clips.

7.00 The Chase: Celebrity Special. Bradley Walsh is joined by Claire Richards from Steps, musician and presenter Rowland Rivron, rugby union star James Haskell and Blue singer Antony Costa.

8.00 The X Factor. The fight for a recording contract continues as the remaining contestants perform tracks from the 1980s in the second live studio round. During 80s Week last year, eventual winner Sam Bailey belted out The Power of Love – originally a hit for Jennifer Rush – winning praise from the panel and audience alike, but how will this year's line-up cope with the decade's finest power ballads? Dermot O'Leary provides much-needed support on stage, while Simon Cowell, Cheryl, Mel B and Louis Walsh take their seats behind the judges' desk to cheer on their own acts.

10.20 The Jonathan Ross Show. New series. The host is joined by X Factor judges Cheryl and Mel B, legendary naturalist David Attenborough and Hollywood actor Steve Carell.

11.25 ITV News; Weather.

11.40 Film: The Hitcher. (2007) A psychotic hitch-hiker targets a couple who unwisely give him a lift, and frames them for a series of roadside murders. Horror remake, starring Sean Bean.

1.10 Jackpot247. **3.00** The Jeremy Kyle Show USA. (R) **3.45** ITV Nightscreen.

CHANNEL 4

6.10 Trans World Sport. **7.00** Hever Castle Triathlon. **7.55** The Morning Line. **9.00** Weekend Kitchen. **10.00** Everybody Loves Raymond. (R) **10.30** Frasier. (R) **11.00** Frasier. (R) **11.30** The Big Bang Theory. (R) **11.55** The Big Bang Theory. (R) **12.25** The Simpsons. (R) **12.55** Gadget Man. (R) **1.30** Channel 4 Racing. Live coverage of British Champions Day at Ascot. **5.00** Come Dine with Me. (R) **5.35** Come Dine with Me. (R)

6.00 Come Dine with Me. American army wife Adrena Austin hosts the third party in Colchester. (R)

6.30 Come Dine with Me. James Coe throws the fourth party in Colchester, and while his incessant discussion of money proves off-putting, the prospect of a dip in the host's hot tub improves moods. (R)

7.00 Come Dine with Me. Vegetarian Jodie Edzekiel hosts the final dinner party in Colchester, and tries to please her guests by serving them meat, if she can bring herself to touch it. (R)

7.30 Channel 4 News.

8.00 Grand Designs. Kevin McCloud follows software executive Andy and garden designer Nicki, who are planning to build a "floating" house on the Thames, which would be the first of its kind in the UK. Their architect has come up with an ambitious, experimental design that would see the whole property magically rise up with the flood waters. However, no one knows whether it will work, and the project soon becomes bogged down in the logistical challenges of bringing to fruition such a complex structure on a small island that is only accessible by a narrow footbridge. (R)

9.00 Film: Fast Five. (2011) Criminal Dominic Toretto is broken out of prison by his partners in crime and together they flee to South America. They begin assembling a gang of crooks to carry out a heist in Rio, but the FBI's top manhunter is in the country and hot on their trail. Action adventure, the fifth in the Fast & Furious series, starring Vin Diesel, Dwayne Johnson, Paul Walker and Jordana Brewster.

11.35 Rude Tube. Alex Zane presents 50 of the internet's most entertaining stunts. (R)

12.40 Film: Silent Hill. (2006) **2.45** Hollyoaks. **4.50** NFL: Hard Knocks. (R) **5.45** NFL: Rush Zone.

CHANNEL 5

6.00 Milkshake! **10.00** Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles. **10.35** World's Most Pampered Pets. (R) **11.30** The Nightmare Neighbour Next Door. (R) **12.30** Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away. (R) **1.30 Film:** They Were Expendable. (1945) Second World War drama, with John Wayne. **4.10 Film:** Mosquito Squadron. (1968) Second World War drama, starring David McCallum. **5.55 Film:** Ambush Bay. (1966) Second World War adventure, starring Mickey Rooney.

7.55 World War II in Colour. In September 1940, Italian leader Benito Mussolini's armies advanced into Egypt and opened up a completely new theatre of war. The British were outnumbered by more than 10 to one, but soon pushed the Axis forces back hundreds of miles and Hitler had to send Field Marshal Erwin Rommel and the Afrika Korps to rescue his ally. Alongside the campaign on the ground, Mussolini staged an epic naval and air war in the Mediterranean, which saw the British fighting to hold on to the strategically vital island of Malta. (R)

8.55 5 News Weekend.

9.00 Film: The Good, the Bad and the Ugly. (1966) A laconic gunslinger, a ruthless hired killer and a conniving outlaw hunt for a cache of loot during the chaos of the American Civil War. However, each is privy to only part of the information necessary to find it, setting in motion a series of deadly betrayals. The third film in Sergio Leone's Spaghetti Western trilogy, starring Clint Eastwood as the Man with No Name, with Lee Van Cleef and Eli Wallach.

12.25 Gotham. Crime thriller based on characters from the Batman comics, following James Gordon's rise from rookie detective to police commissioner. Starring Ben McKenzie. (R) **1.25** SuperCasino. Viewers get the chance to take part in live interactive gaming, with a mix of roulette-wheel spins and lively chat from the presenting team. **3.10** The Gadget Show. Ortis, Jason and Amy use a motion-tracking technology to help knock down a building, while 2012 Britain's Got Talent winners Ashleigh and Pudsey help test canine devices. (R) **4.00** House Doctor. Ann Maurice visits a cottage in Co Durham that has been on the market for eight months. (R) **4.25** Make It Big. (R) **5.15** Angels of Jarm. (R) **5.40** Roary the Racing Car. (R)

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BBC Three

7.00 Great Movie Mistakes 2: The Sequel **8.00** Top Gear **9.00 Film:** Little Fockers (2010) **10.30** Live at the Apollo **11.05** Family Guy **1.40** Bad Education **2.10** The Revolution Will Be Televised **2.40** Seann Walsh's Late Night Comedy Spectacular 2014 **3.40** Flat TV **4.00** Close

BBC Four

7.00 Edward VII: Prince of Pleasure **8.00** The Horizon Guide to Space Shuttles **9.00** The Code **10.55** Northern Soul: Living for the Weekend **11.55** Motown at the BBC **12.55** The Sky at Night **1.25** The Horizon Guide to Space Shuttles **2.25** Edward VII: Prince of Pleasure **3.25** Close

ITV2

11.05 Ariana Grande: The Hot Desk **11.20 Film:** Babe: Pig in the City (1998) **1.10 Film:** Junior (1994) **3.20** Totally You've Been Framed! **4.25** The Best of You've Been Framed! **5.25** You've Been Framed! **5.55 Film:** Arthur and the Great Adventure (2009) **8.00 Film:** Back to the Future (1985) **10.20** The Xtra Factor **11.20** Celebrity Juice **12.10** The Job Lot **12.35** The X Factor **2.45** Teleshopping

ITV3

12.25 The Darling Buds of May **2.50** A Touch of Frost **4.45** Wycliffe **5.55** Inspector Morse **8.00** Rosemary & Thyme **9.00** Midsomer Murders **11.00** A Touch of Frost **1.00** Bomb Girls **1.50** Movies Now **2.00** ITV3 Nightscreen

ITV4

11.35 The Professionals **12.40 Film:** A Reason to Live, A Reason to Die (1972) **2.30** British Touring Car Championship Highlights **4.00** Storage Wars **5.25 Film:** Superman II (1980) **8.00 Film:** Octopussy (1983) **10.40 Film:** Universal Soldier: Day of Reckoning (2012) **12.55** The Professionals **2.00** Cheers **2.25** Tommy Cooper **2.50** ITV4 Nightscreen

E4

11.00 Marvel's Agents of SHIELD **12.00** The 100 **1.00 Film:** Alvin and the Chipmunks (2007) **3.00** Made in Chelsea **4.00** Melissa & Joey **5.00** The Big Bang Theory **6.00** How I Met Your Mother **7.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **7.30** The Big Bang Theory **9.00 Film:** Shooter (2007) **11.35** The Inbetweeners **12.35** How I Met Your Mother **2.30** Rules of Engagement **3.15** Marvel's Agents of SHIELD

Film4

11.00 Broken Lance (1954) **1.00** Cocoon: The Return (1988) **3.20** Aliens in the Attic (2009) **5.00** Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Rodrick Rules (2011) **6.55** Mad Money (2008) **9.00** The King's Speech (2010) **11.20** Frozen (2010) **1.10** Dog Pound (2010) **3.05** Close

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Our Girl
(BBC1, 9pm)
Lacey Turner has proved she is a fine actress time and again while portraying troubled Stacey Slater in EastEnders. But Our Girl has given her a chance to stretch herself even further. Sadly, the series draws to a close with this episode, but it's one that leaves viewers wondering what will happen to her character, Molly Dawes, so hopefully another run will be heading our way in the near future. Here, Molly returns from Afghanistan, and with difficult questions raining down upon her, it's clear that the things she's seen and heard there have had a life-changing impact. The devastating attack on Captain James and Smurf has left this soldier picking up the threads of her life and weaving them into some kind of future – but what will that entail?

BBC1

6.00 Breakfast. **7.30** Match of the Day. (R) **9.00** The Andrew Marr Show. **10.00** Sunday Morning Live. **11.00** Sunday Politics. **12.15** MOTD2 Extra. **1.00** BBC News; Weather. **1.15** Bargain Hunt. (R) **2.15** Escape to the Country. (R) **3.00** Talk to the Animals. (R) **4.00** Points of View. **4.15** Lifeline. **4.25** Songs of Praise. **5.00** Pointless Celebrities. (R) **5.50** BBC News; Regional News; Weather.

6.20 Countryfile: Autumn Special. Seasonal edition in which the team finds out how autumn marks a time of transformation for the countryside. Matt Baker finds out how conkers are under attack from tiny predators, Ellie Harrison goes foraging in the forest with leading chef Raymond Blanc and weatherman John Hammond reveals the science behind the season during a canoe trip down the River Wye with Tom Heap. Adam Henson visits a turkey farm that's ensuring its birds will be safe on bonfire night and cameraman Richard Taylor-Jones heads to Skomer in search of autumn's newest arrivals – grey seal pups.

7.20 Strictly Come Dancing: The Results. Tess Daly and Claudia Winkleman reveal which couples are in the dance-off, leaving their fates in the hands of the judges, and Lady Gaga and Tony Bennett perform a duet.

8.00 Antiques Roadshow. Fiona Bruce and the team visit Chenies Manor near Amersham in Buckinghamshire, where items include a painting by one of Britain's first modern artists and a Star Wars helmet.

9.00 Our Girl. Molly faces difficult decisions as she returns home from Afghanistan, struggling to pick up the pieces after the devastating attack on the Captain and Smurf. Last in the series.

10.00 BBC News; Regional News; Weather.

10.30 Match of the Day 2. Mark Chapman presents action from the latest Premier League matches.

11.30 The Apprentice. Alan Sugar begins another search for a business partner, offering a fresh group of candidates the chance to win an investment to get their idea off the ground. (R)

12.30 The Apprentice. (R) **1.30** Weather for the Week Ahead. **1.35** BBC News.

BBC2

6.00 Great British Garden Revival. (R) **7.00** Countryfile. (R) **8.00** Gardeners' World. (R) **8.30** The Beechgrove Garden. **9.00** The Football League Show. (R) **10.20** Saturday Kitchen Best Bites. **11.50** The Great British Bake Off Masterclass. (R) **12.50** The Great British Bake Off Masterclass. (R) **1.50** Lorraine Pascale: How to Be a Better Cook. (R) **2.20 Film:** Seven Years in Tibet. (1997) Fact-based drama, starring Brad Pitt. **4.30** Coast. (R) **5.00** Flog It! (R)

6.00 Inside the Animal Mind. Combining remarkable demonstrations of abilities with revealing photography, Chris Packham travels the world to uncover the secrets of animals' intelligence, emotions and self-awareness. The first episode explores the remarkable ways creatures use their senses, examining how dogs' powerful ability to detect smell creates a bizarre alternative reality for them. (R)

7.00 Human Universe. In episode two, Professor Brian Cox is off to India, where he assesses arguably the first evidence of rational thought in literature – the poetry of the Vedic monks. They pondered mankind's origins, realising there must have been a day with no yesterday – a day of creation – prompting the age-old question of where did the universe come from? Brian marvels that we live in a universe that seems to follow rules – the laws of physics. Rules that have allowed us to consider space on the grandest scale, travelling to the most distant, farthest reaches of the cosmos just by using our minds. (R)

8.00 Wonders of the Monsoon. The winds turn dry and bring drought, and as predators attack those animals that gather at precious waterholes, a bearded pig hunts for seafood and nomads haggle over camels.

9.00 Sacred Rivers with Simon Reeve. The adventurer travels along the Yangtze in China, seeing ancient rock carvings and the biggest power station on the planet before arriving in Shanghai.

10.00 Film: Cast Away. (2000) Adventure drama, with Tom Hanks and Helen Hunt.

12.15 Film: Good Hair. (2009) **1.45** Sign Zone: Countryfile. (R) **2.45** Holby City. (R) **3.45** This Is BBC Two.

ITV

6.00 CITV: Fort Boyard Ultimate Challenge. **6.25** Pat & Stan. (R) **6.35** Pat & Stan. (R) **6.40** Dino Dan: Trek's Adventures. (R) **6.50** Dino Dan: Trek's Adventures. (R) **7.05** Canimals. (R) **7.10** Canimals. (R) **7.20** Signed Stories: Share a Story. (R) **7.25** Scotty. (R) **7.40** Mr Bean: The Animated Series. (R) **7.50** Ultimate Spider-Man. **8.20** Horrid Henry. **8.30** Big Time Rush. **9.00** The Aquabats! Super Show! **9.25** Dickinson's Real Deal. (R) **10.25** Murder, She Wrote. (R) **11.25** ITV News; Weather. **11.35 Film:** Carry On Up the Jungle. (1970) **1.25** All Star Family Fortunes. (R) **2.10** The X Factor. (R) **4.30** Downton Abbey. (R) **5.30** Tipping Point: Lucky Stars. (R)

6.30 Regional Programme; Weather.

6.45 ITV News; Weather.

7.00 Sunday Night at the Palladium. Rob Brydon introduces music by Neil Diamond, Paloma Faith and Texas, and comedy from Milton Jones and Daniel Sloss.

8.00 The X Factor Results. The tension in the studio is palpable as the contestants learn their fate, and Dermot O'Leary introduces performances by some of the biggest names in the charts.

9.00 Downton Abbey. There is chemistry aplenty between Richard E Grant and Elizabeth McGovern, perhaps because they previously played a married couple in the BBC's Scarlet Pimpernel series in 1998. Their Downton characters – art expert Simon Bricker and Lady Cora – have grown close over the past few weeks, and their flirting reaches boiling point in the latest episode. She's enjoying the attention he gives her, but is he about to cross a line – and does she want him to? Cora's eldest child, Mary, is also enjoying male company, this time that of Charles Blake, who's about to do her a big favour.

10.05 ITV News; Weather.

10.25 Perspectives: Paul O'Grady: Gypsy Rose Lee – the Queen of Burlesque. Paul O'Grady travels to New York to explore the life of burlesque performer Gypsy Rose Lee, who emerged from childhood stardom to become a celebrated striptease artist in the 1930s. (R)

11.25 Piers Morgan's Life Stories: Donny Osmond. (R)

12.20 The Store. **2.35** Motorsport UK. **3.25** The Jeremy Kyle Show USA. (R) **4.15** ITV Nightscreen. **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show. (R)

CHANNEL 4

6.10 NFL: The American Football Show. (R) **7.00** Yorkshire Marathon. **7.55** Celeb Gogglebox and More: The Best Bits of SU2C. **9.30** Sunday Brunch. **12.30** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. (R) **1.30** Deal or No Deal. **2.30** Fifteen to One. **3.30** The Big Bang Theory. (R) **3.55** The Big Bang Theory. (R) **4.25** The Big Bang Theory. (R) **4.50 Film:** Journey to the Center of the Earth. (2008) Fantasy adventure, starring Brendan Fraser.

6.35 Channel 4 News.

7.05 Posh Pawn. James Constantinou meets a friend in Spain about a £100,000 loan on a luxury yacht, while a widow considers parting with her late husband's vintage car. Last in the series. (R)

8.00 Hitler's Hidden Drug Habit: Secret History. Obviously today nobody would attempt to paint Hitler in a positive light, but during the Nazi era, he rose to power and popularity for a reason. He was portrayed to the German people as a great man, one who was in control of his own destiny and that of his country, and who was infallible – all but a super-human. Unsurprisingly, this was far from the truth. However, the facts, which this documentary gleans from his physician's diaries, are more remarkable than any fiction. It transpires that the leader was in fact a hypochondriac and a nervous wreck, who became increasingly dependent on a cocktail of drugs including powerful stimulants and depressants – uppers and downers – as well as all manner of pseudo-medicinal 'cures' for real and imagined illnesses.

9.00 Homeland. Carrie heads back to the US for an official inquiry, where she continues to struggle with her ambivalence toward motherhood. Meanwhile, Quinn spirals further out of control, and a disgraced former case officer reveals disturbing new information.

10.05 Film: The Adjustment Bureau. (2011) A politician discovers shadowy figures are manipulating his life and tries to resist the fate they have planned for him. Sci-fi thriller, starring Matt Damon and Emily Blunt.

12.15 How to Be a Billionaire. (R) **1.10** American Football Live. **4.45** Mobil 1. (R) **5.10** SuperScrimpers. (R) **5.25** Deal or No Deal. (R)

CHANNEL 5

6.00 Milkshake!: Peppa Pig. **6.05** Roary the Racing Car. (R) **6.15** Angelina Ballerina. (R) **6.30** Seaside Antics. **6.35** The Mr Men Show. (R) **6.45** Chloe's Closet. (R) **7.00** Olly the Little White Van. (R) **7.05** Bananas in Pyjamas. (R) **7.25** Make Way for Noddy. (R) **7.35** Paw Patrol. **7.45** Bert and Ernie's Great Adventures. (R) **7.55** Little Princess. (R) **8.05** The Adventures of Bottle Top Bill and His Best Friend Corky. (R) **8.25** Wanda and the Alien. **8.40** Zack and Quack. **8.55** Ben and Holly's Little Kingdom. (R) **9.10** Jelly Jamm. (R) **9.25** Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles. **10.00** Great Birmingham Run. Live coverage of the half-marathon. **12.20** Criminals: Caught on Camera. (R) **12.50 Film:** Spider-Man 3. (2007) Superhero sequel, starring Tobey Maguire. **3.25 Film:** Bewitched. (2005) Romantic fantasy comedy, with Nicole Kidman and Will Ferrell. **5.20 Film:** Alvin and the Chipmunks: Chipwrecked. (2011) Comedy sequel, starring Jason Lee.

7.00 5 News Weekend.

7.05 Film: Jackie Chan's The Forbidden Kingdom. (2008) An American teenager obsessed with kung fu movies is sent back in time to ancient China, where he joins the battle to free the imprisoned Monkey King. The only problem is he has no martial arts skills of his own, and will need the assistance of two legendary warriors to become the hero he needs to be. Martial arts adventure, starring Jet Li.

9.00 Film: Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves. (1991) An English nobleman returns home from the crusades to find his father has been murdered and the local people are repressed by the tyrannical rule of the Sheriff of Nottingham. Branded an outlaw, he recruits a group of bandits to fight for justice and protect the downtrodden. Action adventure, starring Kevin Costner, Alan Rickman, Morgan Freeman and Mary Elizabeth Mastrantonio.

12.05 Film: Highlander. (1986) Immortal warriors must fight each other in duels to the death through the centuries, until only one survives. Fantasy action adventure, with Christopher Lambert and Sean Connery. **2.05** SuperCasino. Live interactive gaming. **3.10** Benefits, Babies and Jail. People living on the dole in South Yorkshire. (R) **4.00** House Doctor. A cluttered flat in Hammersmith. (R) **4.25** Make It Big. (R) **5.15** Angels of Jarm. (R) **5.40** Roary the Racing Car. (R)

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BBC Three

7.00 Great Movie Mistakes **8.00** Doctor Who **8.45** Doctor Who: The Ultimate Guide **9.00** Come Fly with Me **10.00** Family Guy **10.45** Bad Education **11.15** The Revolution Will Be Televised **11.45** American Dad! **12.30 Film:** Butterfly on a Wheel (2007) **2.00** Bad Education **2.30** The Revolution Will Be Televised **3.00** Impractical Jokers **3.30** Bad Education **4.00** Close

BBC Four

7.00 The Story of Top of the Pops 1979 **8.00** BBC Music John Peel Lecture 2014 with Iggy Pop **9.00** Storyville: Russia's Toughest Prison – The Condemned **10.20** Horror Europa with Mark Gatiss **11.50** Mr Blue Sky: The Story of Jeff Lynne and ELO **12.50** Jeff Lynne's ELO at Hyde Park **2.15** Storyville: Russia's Toughest Prison – The Condemned **3.35** Close

ITV2

11.30 The X Factor **1.50** Nicole Scherzinger: The Hot Desk **2.05** You've Been Framed! **2.35 Film:** A Little Princess (1995) **4.35 Film:** Miss Congeniality (2000) **6.50 Film:** Back to the Future Part II (1989) **9.00** The Xtra Factor **10.00** Tricked **11.00** Bad Bridesmaid **12.00 Film:** Funny People (2009) **2.35** Nicole Scherzinger: The Hot Desk **2.45** Teleshopping **5.45** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3

11.45 Inspector Morse **1.55** Rosemary & Thyme **3.00 Film:** Carry On Loving (1970) **4.55 Film:** Columbo: Etude in Black (1972) **7.00** Lewis **9.00** It'll Be Alright on the Night **10.00 Film:** The Human Stain (2003) **12.05** Above Suspicion: The Red Dahlia **1.10** William and Mary **2.55** World Kitchen **3.20** ITV3 Nightscreen **3.40** Emmerdale

ITV4

11.10 Highway Patrol **11.40** Ax Men **1.35** River Monsters **4.35 Film:** A Reason to Live, A Reason to Die (1972) **6.25 Film:** Superman II (1980) **9.00 Film:** Jaws 2 (1978) **11.20 Film:** Cape Fear (1991) **1.55** Jean-Claude Van Damme: Behind Closed Doors **2.50** ITV4 Nightscreen **3.00** Teleshopping

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12.35 Made in Chelsea **1.40 Film:** Alvin and the Chipmunks: The Squeakquel (2009) **3.30** Melissa & Joey **4.30** Suburgatory **5.00** New Girl **5.30** The Big Bang Theory **8.00 Film:** The Day the Earth Stood Still (2008) **10.05** The Inbetweeners **11.05** Rude Tube: Total Stunts **12.10** Glue **1.15** The Mindy Project **1.40** Rules of Engagement **2.35** Rude Tube: Total Stunts **3.30** Hollyoaks

Film4

11.00 The Fighting Seabees (1944) **1.00** Stardust (2007) **3.30** Home Alone 3 (1997) **5.40** The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (2008) **9.00** Kick-Ass (2010) **11.15** Sanctum (2011) **1.25** The Conformist (1970) **3.30** Close

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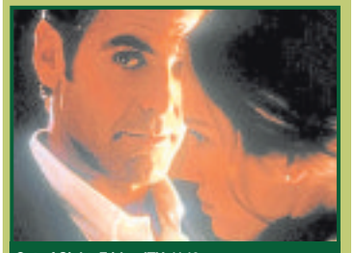
FILM CHOICES

MONDAY
The Business, Channel 5, 10.55pm
A criminal flees London in the 1980s to start a new life on the Costa del Sol. He is soon drawn into the inner circle of a British gangster living in exile, but his relationship with a psychotic crook's girlfriend threatens to bring his criminal career to an abrupt end. Crime drama, starring Danny Dyer and Geoff Bell. (2005)

TUESDAY
Stolen Innocence, Channel 5, 3.15pm
A woman is rushed to hospital after giving birth to a stillborn girl, only to be accused by the police of murdering the child. Demanding to see the midwife who was treating her at home, she discovers the woman was an imposter and is certain her baby has been kidnapped. Thriller, starring Gina Philips and Anna Galvin. (2007)



Out of Sight, Friday, ITV, 11.10pm

WEDNESDAY
Tornado Warning, Channel 5, 3.15pm
A teenager whose home was destroyed by an unusual tornado grows up to be an amateur storm chaser, and investigates when similar freak storms start occurring across the world. He enlists the aid of a meteorologist in getting to the truth, and discovers the strange weather is cover for an alien invasion. Sci-fi thriller, starring Kari Wuhrer and Jeff Fahey. (2012)

THURSDAY
Mom at Sixteen, Channel 5, 3.15pm
A pregnant teenager's well-meaning mother forces her to keep the birth a secret and decides to raise the baby as if it were her own – but the deception raises unforeseen practical and ethical problems for all concerned. Drama, starring Mercedes Ruehl. (2005)

FRIDAY
Out of Sight, ITV, 11.10pm
A charming bank robber breaks out of jail and takes a female US Marshal hostage. Managing to escape, she sets out to track him down as he prepares for one last job – but as the chase intensifies, so do their feelings for each other. Steven Soderbergh's romantic crime drama, with George Clooney. (1998)

Perfect Creature, BBC2, 12.35am
In an alternative version of the 1960s, vampires have lived alongside humans for 300 years. However, the stability of this world is shattered when one bloodsucker returns to his predatory ways, posing a deadly threat to both races. Thriller, starring Dougray Scott. (2006)

PICK OF THE WEEK

Sarah works her magic once again in new series

Sometimes it can be hard to muster up much sympathy for the people featured on Sarah Beeny's property shows, especially those with a massive budget.

"We can't seem to sell our house," they cry to Sarah, while tripping over dog toys and ignoring the stench of their beloved pet's food in the corner of the kitchen.

Do they really need it spelling out?

Okay, maybe we're being a bit too harsh. After all, the housing market is a nightmare at the moment – and the folk we're about to meet in the property guru's latest TV effort know this only too well. In fact, desperate times call for desperate measures.

As Sarah will explain, the way we sell our houses is changing, and by 2020, it's predicted that half of the UK's house sales may be done online. Property websites are now getting billions of hits every year, and pioneer homeowners are shunning the services of the country's 15,000 traditional estate agents and instead signing up with online estate agents to sell their homes – all in the hope they will save thousands of pounds in fees. But is this the right way to go?

Sarah is making it her mission in this new series to find out the answer to that question, as she meets ordinary homeowners who are taking on the challenge of selling their homes in this way. She will also be offering her practical advice to those who are struggling to sell in these difficult times. Of course we know she can be trusted – her advice is, well, safe as houses.

The presenter has taken a keen interest in the market since she began her own property developing business with her brother and husband. Since then she's found time in her busy schedule to have four boys, create dating website Mysinglefriend, present umpteen hugely successful property series, and renovate Rise Hall in East Yorkshire (during which the many ups and downs were documented).

It's a wonder she's managed to find time for yet another series – but she has…

In it, the featured sellers are taking a big risk by doing it all online – they will have to value their own property, and arrange their own viewings. However, their inexperience could mean they underestimate the market. In short; if they get it right, these homeowner hopefuls could stand to save a whopping amount of money – but if they get it wrong, it could indeed be an extremely costly mistake.

Kicking off the series, Sarah heads to East Sussex where she meets Terri Measures. She isn't able to maintain her listed country cottage, and is desperate to sell up after her recent divorce.

Meanwhile, over in Nottingham, we meet the Watsons. They bought their four-bedroom semi-detached house in a bidding war five years ago, but are now facing selling at a loss.

These families are desperate to sell up and secure every penny they can get, but are they right to shun the high street professionals and sell online?

Sarah Beeny's How to Sell Your Home, Monday, Channel 4, 8.30pm

BEST OF THE REST

MONDAY
New Tricks
BBC1, 9pm
Back in 1983, 16-year-old Amy Taskerland was murdered on the night of the school disco. More than 30 years later, the unearthing of a time capsule and the discovery of her voice on a mix tape inside prompts Miller and co to delve back into the case, starting by interviewing Amy's best friend Harriet and her former teacher Mr Hines. The recording features a strange mix of music and poetry, including words from a speech written in secret for the Queen for broadcast in the event of a nuclear war. But how did Amy get a copy of it, and was its secret nature the reason she was killed? Elsewhere, Miller enjoys her first romance since her divorce, while Gerry goes on his future son-in-law's stag night. Amy Nuttall (Emmerdale, Downton Abbey) and Jack Shepherd (Wycliffe) guest star. Last in the series.

TUESDAY
The BBC Children in Need Sewing Bee
BBC2, 8pm
The competition returns for three special editions as 12 celebrities take to their sewing machines in a bid to raise money for this year's BBC Children in Need appeal and inspire viewers to get creative. The first four celebrities to face the expert eye of Savile Row's Patrick Grant and sewing tutor May Martin as they take on an A-line skirt pattern challenge are doctor and TV presenter Dawn Harper, Hairy Biker Dave Myers, radio DJ and presenter Edith Bowman and actress Wendi Peters. Jenny Eclair presents.

WEDNESDAY
Surprise Surprise
ITV, 8pm
New series. Holly Willoughby returns to make dreams come true for unsuspecting members of the public. Singer-songwriter Pharrell Williams gives the surprise of a lifetime to 21-year-old fundraiser Holly Addison from Staffordshire, while 26-year-old Jodi Bickley from Birmingham, who touched the hearts of thousands across the world by writing letters of love and hope, receives a dinner date with polymath Stephen Fry, as well as being treated to a musical performance by American pop star Nicole Scherzinger. Plus, two remarkable foster carers who have taken in more than 250 children are thanked for their dedication, and a woman who sponsored a boy in Africa through his education meets him for the first time.

Surprise Surprise, Wednesday, ITV, 8pm

Grayson Perry: Who Are You?
Channel 4, 10pm
New series. The Turner Prize-winning artist spends time with people who are facing a crossroads or a crisis with their identity and represents each of them in some form of art, whether as miniatures, large tapestries, statues or pots. All of the works will be shown in the permanent collection of the National Portrait Gallery in a special display. In the first edition, he meets former politician Chris Huhne, Big Brother's Bit on the Side presenter Rylan Clark, single mother-of-five Kayleigh, who has recently converted to Islam, and Jazz, who was born a girl but has embarked on a course of male hormones to begin life as a man.

THURSDAY
Life Story
BBC1, 9pm
Naturalist David Attenborough documents the universal story that unites humanity with every other animal on the planet – the journey through life, and the goal to continue the bloodline through offspring. This edition focuses on the first hurdle any animal will face, surviving infancy. Cameras follow flightless barnacle goose chicks as they strive to find food, leaping 400ft down a cliff from the ledge where they hatched. Meanwhile, in New Zealand, young fur seals have stumbled across a safe haven in which they can learn how to avoid predators, while deep in the Gobi Desert, the long-eared jerboa learns to use its impeccable hearing to catch insect pray.

FRIDAY
Marvel's Agents of SHIELD
Channel 4, 8pm
New series. The comic-book drama returns following the explosive first-season finale, and Agent Phil Coulson is ready to start rebuilding SHIELD. Hydra is also on a recruitment drive, with members including The Kraken circling SHIELD. So as the agents try to find new allies, who can they trust – and who has an ulterior motive for getting involved?

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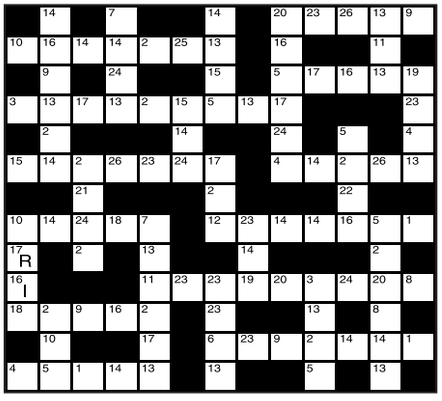

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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

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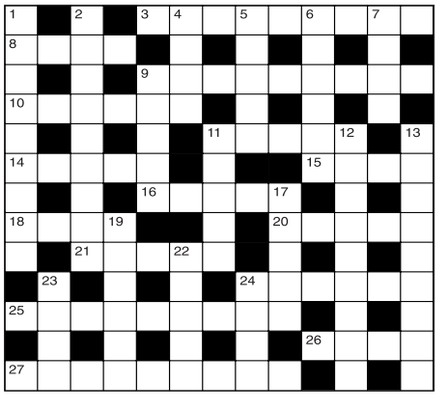
Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.



Cryptic Clues:

Across

3. An error because of vision (9)
8. Evil may exist thus (4)
9. Company on the move describe race conditions (4,5)
10. Ordinary girl with lion's head (6)
11. Girl seen in a dream - a vision, in fact (5)
14. 50-50 chance of missing tip-top happenings (5)
15. Spiritual charge involving healing (4)
16. Ground heart (5)
18. Goals to finish with (4)
20. It's enough to put a politician in the drink! (5)
21. Games in southern seaside town (5)
24. Relieved of the trouble of painting the resort red (6)
25. The state of the match (9)
26. Rest without fat (4)
27. What the model on trial as professional secretary will do? (9)

Down

1. Clumsy person made to bend ruler (9)
2. Business expenses are beyond bosses? (9)
4. 8 covering the features (4)
5. Spirit shown by graduate in dance (5)
6. Sarcastic about metal? (6)
7. As a clue it may be thin (4)
9. Such fleas are not the real thing (5)
11. Worth of 22? (5)
12. Adherent is one to drink beer? (9)
13. Protect worker who stands in the dock (9)
17. Rapacious monster with strings to pluck? (5)
19. Ghostly pluck? (6)
22. Send some more mittens (5)
23. How many are needed by 25? (4)
24. A tailor's bargain? (4)

Quick Clues:

Across

3. Self-possession (9)
8. Needle-case (4)
9. Richer (6,3)
10. Sailor (6)
11. Bush (5)
14. Shelf (5)
15. Correct (4)
16. Pulls (5)
18. Acid (4)
20. Commerce (5)
21. Instruct (5)
24. Brook (6)
25. Haughtiness (9)
26. Sharp (4)
27. Resolve (9)

Down

1. Stupid (9)
2. Completely (3-3-3)
4. Portent (4)
5. Small piece of land (5)
6. Shoot (6)
7. Break (4)
9. Uncovered (5)
11. Shatter (5)
12. Don't gain or lose (5,4)
13. Don't worry (5,4)
17. Condition (5)
19. Distant (6)
22. Demand (5)
23. Release (4)
24. Look at (4)

Sudoku

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Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

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LAST WEEK'S CROSSWORD SOLUTIONS: CRYPTIC - Across: 1 Back; 3 Courting; 8 Adam; 9 Half-fare; 11 Drawing-paper; 13 Seethe; 14 At will; 17 Crossword fan; 20 Academic; 21 Anti; 22 Detested; 23 Myth. Down: 1 Brandish; 2 Charade; 4 Orange; 5 Refractory; 6 Irate; 7 Glee; 10 Air-hostess; 12 Blandish; 15 Infancy; 16 Awhile; 18 React; 19 Hand. QUICK - Across: 1 Mole; 3 Complete; 8 Rage; 9 Disorder; 11 Intermediary; 13 Garret; 14 Scribe; 17 Schoolmaster; 20 Honoured; 21 Crop; 22 Preceded; 23 Omit. Down: 1 Marriage; 2 Lighter; 4 Opined; 5 Provincial; 6 Elder; 7 Earn; 10 Irresolute; 12 Decrepit; 15 Interim; 16 Allege; 18 Canoe; 19 Whip.

Quiz

1. Which disease is popularly called 'the itch'?
2. To which animal family does the Kinkajou belong?
3. Which career did Keats abandon for poetry?
4. What is the governing body of English horse racing?
5. Which country's name, in its native language, means land of the long white cloud?
6. Which French King Louis was called the Sun King?
7. Which bird lays the largest egg in relation to its own size?
8. Who wrote and directed the film High Hopes in 1989?
9. What was the nationality of the artist Paul Klee?
10. What relation of Queen Victoria was Belgium's Leopold I?

Last week's solutions:

Quiz: 1 Macduff; 2 Monkey; 3 Kent; 4 Jayne Mansfield; 5 Le Mans; 6 Rudyard Kipling; 7 Philippines; 8 Leiden; 9 Aire; 10 Spain.

Niner: MODERNIST

Niner

Each number from 1 to 9 represents a different letter. Solve the clues and insert the letters in the appropriate squares to discover a word which uses all nine letters.

438746 gives an American state,
9381986 gives a German city,
3562436 gives a place in Cheshire.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

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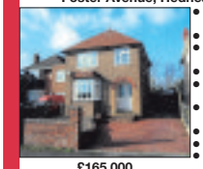

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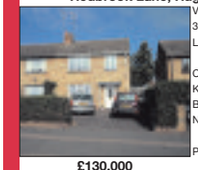

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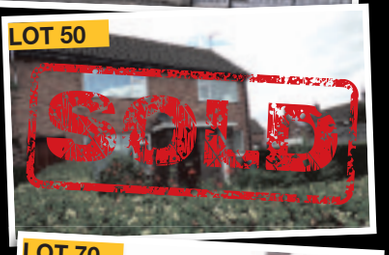

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- Lounge, Kitchen
- Fitted kitchen
- Fitted Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Ideal investment or first time buy
- EPC rating E

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- Entrance hallway, Lounge, Kitchen
- Family bathroom
- Good sized rear garden
- Ideal family home
- EPC rating D

£115,000

CANNOCK
HUNTINGTON TERRACE ROAD

- Traditional two bedroom semi detached
- Lounge and Separate Dining room
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Family Bathroom with separate Shower
- Gas Central heating & Double glazed
- Driveway, Enclosed rear garden
- Ideal first time buyers property
- EPC rating E

£119,995

HEDNESFORD
BAKERS WAY

- A three bedroom semi detached house
- Gas central heating and double glazing
- Lounge, refitted kitchen/diner
- Utility area, refitted modern bathroom
- Garden to rear, garage
- Ideal family home, viewing recommended
- Awaiting EPC rating

£149,950

CANNOCK
PYE GREEN ROAD

- A traditional three bedroom house
- Double glazing
- Lounge, Dining room, Kitchen
- Three good sized bedrooms
- Bathroom, Good sized rear garden
- Work required
- Awaiting EPC rating

£149,950

CANNOCK
CECIL STREET

- A three bedroom semi detached house
- Gas central heating, lounge
- Kitchen/diner
- Three good sized bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom and separate WC
- Good sized rear garden
- Off road parking,EPC rating E

£124,950

HEATH HAYES
BROOKLYN ROAD

- A refurbished one bedroom apartment
- Gas central heating and double glazing
- Lounge, refitted kitchen
- Refitted shower room, bedroom
- Rear garden, ideal first time buy or investment
- Viewing recommended
- EPC rating C

£82,000

CANNOCK
ST AIDANS ROAD

- Two bedroomed detached bungalow
- Gas central heating and double glazing
- Lounge, modern fitted kitchen
- Modern fitted bathroom, two bedrooms
- Garden to rear, garage, driveway
- Viewing is recommended
- EPC rating D

£135,000

HEATH HAYES
CHARTERFIELD CLOSE

- A four bedroom detached house
- Occupying corner position
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BURNTWOOD
NEW STREET

- A two bedroom semi detached house
- Gas central heating and double glazing
- Lounge, dining room
- Kitchen, bathroom
- Two good sized bedrooms
- Good sized garden to rear
- Enclosed parking
- EPC rating D, fees apply

£550 PCM

PENKRIDGE
LOCK ROAD

- A 3/4 bed detached dorma bungalow
- Gas central heating and double glazing
- Lounge, dining room, kitchen
- Utility, two ground floor double bedrooms
- Two further first floor bedrooms
- Family bathroom, enclosed rear garden
- Garage and driveway,
- EPC rating D

£255,000

HUNTINGTON
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- Executive three storey detached property
- Utility Area, guest WC
- Five double bedrooms
- Master En-suite, dressing area
- Family bathroom, guest WC
- Generous lounge, dining room
- Breakfast Kitchen, Double garage
- EPC rating C

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CANNOCK
DEVON ROAD

- A one bedroom first floor apartment
- Close to Town Centre
- Walking distance to Cannock train station
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Bathroom, bedroom
- Garden to rear
- EPC rating D, fees apply

£395 PCM

CANNOCK
NEWHALL STREET

- A traditional two bedroom property
- Town centre location
- Gas central heating and double glazing
- Two reception rooms. Kitchen
- Utility area, Two good sized bedroom
- Family bathroom
- Good sized rear garden
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- 2 superb bedrooms
- Luxury refurbished bathroom
- Driveway, gardens. No chain
- EPC rating to follow

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NEW

CHESLYN HAY
LODGE VIEW

- Beautifully refurbished town house
- Prime Cul-de-Sac location
- New kitchen, bathroom
- New carpets and floor coverings
- Spacious lounge with fireplace
- Laundry, ample storage
- 3 bedrooms, gardens, no chain
- EPC rating D

Offers around £132,950

NEW

BLOXWICH
GRENFELL ROAD

- Charming town house. No chain
- Ample scope for improvement
- Lounge, separate dining room
- Kitchen, covered side area
- 3 good bedrooms, bathroom
- Off road front parking
- Lawned rear gardens with patio
- EPC rating to follow

Offers around £99,950

CHESLYN HAY
BERWYN GROVE

- Well proportioned bungalow
- Detached property, corner plot
- Lounge, charming fitted kitchen
- Charming conservatory
- 3 generous bedrooms
- Ensuite. Family bathroom
- Driveway, gardens, garage
- EPC rating D

Offers around £229,950

GREAT WYRLEY
HILTON LANE

- Traditional semi-detached
- Extended 3 storey accommodation
- Lounge / diner, sitting room
- Fitted kitchen, utility, WC
- 4 bedrooms, family bathroom
- Ensuite to second floor bedroom
- Drive, gardens, brick garden room
- EPC rating E

Offers around £179,950

GREAT WYRLEY
SUNSET CLOSE

- Refurbished link detached bungalow
- Prime Cul-de-Sac location
- Lounge with feature fireplace
- Well appointed modern kitchen
- 3 bedrooms, shower room
- Side garage, tarmac drive
- Pleasant gardens. No chain
- EPC rating D

Offers around £157,450

NEW PRICE

GREAT WYRLEY
BENTONS LANE

- Exceptional detached property
- Sizable plot
- Two receptions, dining kitchen
- Utility & guest WC
- 4 bedrooms (ensuite to master)
- Family bathroom
- Beautiful gardens
- EPC rating C

Offers Around £250,000

CHESLYN HAY
HAZELWOOD CLOSE

- Imposing detached property
- Pleasant Cul-de-Sac location
- 3 reception rooms, guest WC
- Breakfast kitchen, utility
- 4 double bedrooms
- Ensuite shower room, bathroom
- Gardens, driveway, double garage
- EPC rating D

Offers around £370,000

NEW PRICE

CHESLYN HAY
HATHERTON STREET

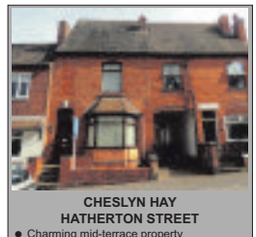
- Charming semi-detached house
- Convenient village location
- Close to schools & amenities
- Two reception rooms, cellar
- Kitchen, ground floor bathroom
- Three bedrooms
- Rear garden
- EPC rating E

Offers around £134,995

GREAT WYRLEY
WALSALL ROAD

- Extended semi-detached
- Lounge, conservatory
- Open plan kitchen & dining room
- Utility room, guest WC
- Four bedrooms
- Ensuite to master bedroom
- Rear garden, driveway parking
- EPC rating D

Offers around £215,000



CHESLYN HAY
CROSS STREET

- Impressive traditional terrace
- 2 reception rooms
- Contemporary fitted kitchen
- Modern ground floor bathroom
- Two double first floor bedrooms
- Spacious loft room
- Neat lawned gardens
- EPC Rating F

Offers Over £150,000

CHESLYN HAY
HATHERTON STREET

- Charming mid-terrace property
- Convenient village location
- Two reception rooms, kitchen
- Ground floor bathroom, cellar
- Three good sized bedrooms
- Useful loft room
- Charming rear garden
- EPC rating E

Offers around £149,950

GREAT WYRLEY
OLDE HALL LANE

- Modern detached residence
- Prime village location
- 2 reception rooms, guest cloakroom
- Refitted kitchen & utility
- 4 generous bedrooms
- Ensuite and family bathroom
- Garage, drive, gardens
- EPC rating D

Offers around £285,000

CHURCHBRIDGE
FORGE CLOSE

- Stunning modern detached residence
- Superb, spacious accommodation
- Front lounge, guests cloakroom
- Impressive fitted kitchen/diner
- Three good sized bedrooms
- Master en-suite, family bathroom
- Corner plot, garage, walled gardens
- EPC Rating B

Offers around £215,000

GREAT WYRLEY
ANSON ROAD

- Well presented end-terrace
- Larger than average plot
- Porch, spacious lounge
- Well appointed breakfast kitchen
- Three bedrooms, bathroom
- Gardens, patio, detached garage
- Off road parking front and rear
- EPC rating D

Offers around £119,950

TURNBERRY, BLOXWICH
ALDEBURGH CLOSE

- Impressive detached residence
- Desirable Cul-de-Sac location
- Good sized corner plot, double garage
- Well appointed, spacious interiors
- Lounge / diner. Family room
- Fitted kitchen, guest WC
- 4 bedrooms, ensuite, bathroom
- EPC rating D

Offers around £279,950

CHURCHBRIDGE
FORGE CLOSE

- Modern detached home
- 2 reception rooms, kitchen
- Large conservatory, guest WC
- Master bedroom with ensuite
- Two further bedrooms, bathroom
- Rear garden
- Driveway, garage
- EPC rating C

Offers around £189,950

BLOXWICH
IRVINE ROAD

- Well presented end terrace
- Spacious lounge, fitted kitchen
- Utility with shower cubicle
- Two generous double bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Beautiful rear garden
- Useful gated side access
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•Semi Detached House •Two Bedrooms
•Lounge/Dining Room •Parking To Rear
•Rear Garden •EPC = D

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CANNOCK

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•Lounge & Kitchen •Allocated Parking
•No Upward Chain •EPC = D

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•Guest Cloaks •Conservatory
•Integral Garage •EPC = D

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NEWHALL CRESCENT
HEATH HAYES

•Detached House •Three Bedrooms
•En-suite Shower Room •Lounge Diner
•Integral Garage •EPC = D

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CANNOCK

•Three Bedroom House •Kitchen Diner
•Downstairs Cloaks •Rear Garden
•Garage •EPC = C

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•Semi Detached House •Two Bedrooms
•Lounge & Conservatory •Rear Garden
•Driveway •EPC = D

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BRADBURY LANE
HEDNESFORD

•Two Bed Semi Detached House
•Lounge Diner
•Downstairs Cloakroom •Off Road Parking
•No Onward Chain •EPC = E

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CAVENSWOOD PARK
LING ROAD

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•Modern Kitchen •En-Suite Shower Room
•Allocated Parking •No Upward Chain

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•Lounge Opening To Kitchen •Refitted Bathroom
•Parking Space •EPC = C

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HUNTINGTON

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•Two En-suite Shower Rooms •Guest Cloakroom
•Garage •EPC = C

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WOOTTON CLOSE
CANNOCK

•Four Bedroom Detached •Three Reception Rooms
•Conservatory •Integral Garage
•Cul De Sac •EPC = D

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•Two Reception Rooms •Kitchen
•Detached Garage •EPC = D

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STAGBOROUGH WAY
HEDNESFORD

•Well Presented •Terraced House
•One Bedroom •Refitted Kitchen
•Parking •EPC = E

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CANNOCK

•Detached House •Three Bedrooms
•Through Lounge Diner •Front, Side & Rear Gardens
•Garage •EPC = D

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•Breakfast Kitchen & Utility •Guest WC
•Garage & Gardens •EPC = C

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•Refitted Bathroom •Detached Garage To Rear
•No Chain •EPC = D

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CANNOCK

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•Rear Garden •EPC = E

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•Well Presented •Lounge/Diner
•Rear Garden •EPC = D

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•Refitted Kitchen
•Refitted Bathroom With Separate Shower •Lounge Diner
•Garage •EPC = D

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HEDNESFORD

•Refurbished Semi Detached •Three Bedrooms
•Re-Fitted Breakfast Kitchen •Utility Room
•Garage •EPC = D

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CANNOCK

•Two Bed Semi Detached •Refitted Family Bathroom
•Guest WC •Off Road Parking
•NO UPWARD CHAIN •EPC = G

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•Bathroom With Separate Shower
•Detached Garage To Rear
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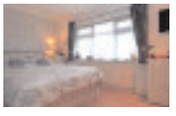

Linden View, Hednesford

- Semi Detached House
- Three Bedrooms
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Cul De Sac Location
- Garage
- EPC = D

£150,000

NEW

Gloucester Way, Heath Hayes

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- Off Road Parking
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- Two Bedrooms
- Open Plan Lounge Diner
- D/G & C/H
- Garage
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- Two Bed Semi Detached
- Refitted Breakfast Kitchen
- Refitted Bathroom
- Garage
- No Upward Chain
- EPC = TBA

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- Refitted bathroom
- Gas central heating
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- Intruder alarm
- Fully double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
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- Dining kitchen
- Six bedrooms
- Two en-suite shower rooms
- Family bathroom
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- Gardens
- Gas fired central heating
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INDIVIDUAL ARCHITECT DESIGNED FIVE BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCE LOCATED IN PRIME SHOAL HILL AREA OF THE TOWN

EPC Rating 72

PRICE - £745,000
FREEHOLD

CRAIGWATTS HOMES

5 POPLAR LANE, CANNOCK

IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED THREE BEDROOMED DETACHED HOUSE
Located In Much Sought After Residential Area of The Town
Occupying Well Stocked Grounds

- Central reception hall
- Lounge
- Dining kitchen
- Three bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Detached garage and outside toilet
- Well stocked gardens
- Fully double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- EPC rating tbc

£289,950: FREEHOLD

6 CHESLYN DRIVE, CHESLYN HAY.

SEMI DETACHED THREE BEDROOMED HOUSE
Located In Private Drive In This Popular South Staffordshire Village

- Two reception rooms
- Kitchen
- Double glazed conservatory
- Three bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Garage
- Gardens
- Oil fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- EPC rating 61

£150,000 FREEHOLD

APARTMENT 1 SANDY COURT, SANDY LANE, CANNOCK

A SUPERBLY APPOINTED GROUND FLOOR APARTMENT LOCATED IN AN EXCLUSIVE DEVELOPMENT OF LUXURY APARTMENTS LOCATED IN A PRIME RESIDENTIAL AREA OF THE TOWN IN SECURE GROUNDS WITH VIEWS TO THE SHOAL HILL DISTRICT OF CANNOCK CHASE

- Communal reception hall
- Lounge area
- Fully fitted kitchen area
- Two double bedrooms
- En-suite shower room
- Luxury bathroom
- Secure gated off road parking
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- EPC Rating 78

£179,950

9 ROKHOLT CRESCENT, CANNOCK

INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED DETACHED CHALET STYLE HOUSE
Offering Flexible Three/Four Double Bedroomed Well equipped Accommodation
Located In Popular Cul-de-sac In Much Sought After Residential Area Of The Town

- Central reception hall
- 2/3 Reception rooms
- Kitchen/breakfast area
- 3/4 bedrooms
- En-suite shower room and bathroom
- Integral garage
- Intruder alarm
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- EPC rating 75

£335,000 FREEHOLD

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40 ROWAN CLOSE, HUNTINGTON

IMPROVED WELL MAINTAINED FOUR BEDROOM DETACHED FAMILY HOUSE
Located In Private Drive

- Reception hall and cloakroom
- Lounge
- Fitted dining kitchen
- Four bedrooms
- Bathroom and en-suite shower room
- Garage
- Well stocked gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- EPC rating 79

£206,950 FREEHOLD

25 BERWICK DRIVE, CANNOCK

WELL EQUIPPED THREE BEDROOMED SEMI DETACHED HOUSE
Located In Popular Residential Area Convenient For Facilities at Cannock Town Centre and Neighbourhood Centre at Bideford Way

- Reception hall
- Lounger
- Breakfast kitchen
- Refitted cloaks/shower room
- Three bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Well stocked gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- EPC rating tbc

£124,950: FREEHOLD

56 ALDERLEY CRESCENT, WALSALL

TWO BEDROOMED MID MEWS HOME

- Reception hall
- Cloakroom with WC
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Gardens and off road parking for 2 cars
- Fully double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- EPC rating 73

£95,000 FREEHOLD

Ashbourne House

39 Old Penkridge Road, Cannock, Staffordshire, WS11 1HX

Distinctive Luxuriously Appointed Six Bedroomed Detached Residence Of Character

- Central Reception Hall
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Cloakroom
- Family Room
- Lounge
- Utility Room
- Dining Room
- Six Bedrooms
- Study
- 5 En-Suites
- EPC Rating 86
- Integral Double Width Garage

PRICE: £875,000 FREEHOLD

Firstpost Homes
NEW HOMES OF DISTINCTION

EAST WING, SHORE CROFT, SANDY LANE, CANNOCK

A UNIQUE IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED END MEWS FAMILY RESIDENCE OCCUPYING ELEVATED POSITION WITH INDOOR HEATED SWIMMING POOL Located In Much Sought After Shoal Hill District of Cannock Chase With Extensive Views Over Greenbelt Farmland Towards Shropshire and Wrekin

- Two reception rooms
- Fitted kitchen
- Three bedrooms
- Two bathrooms
- Two shower areas to pool
- Indoor heated swimming pool
- Intruder alarm
- Fully double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- EPC rating 45

£350,000 FREEHOLD

40 OLD PENKRIDGE ROAD, CANNOCK

CONSIDERABLY EXTENDED AND IMPROVED DETACHED FAMILY HOUSE WITH FLEXIBLE ACCOMMODATION INCLUDING SELF CONTAINED FLAT SUITABLE FOR EXTENDED FAMILY OCCUPYING MATURE WELL STOCKED GARDENS Located In Much Sought After Residential Area of The Town Adjoining Cannock Park To The Rear

- Two reception rooms
- Breakfast kitchen
- Games/hobby/play room
- Five bedrooms
- Two bathrooms
- Store room
- Self contained flat
- Double integral garage
- Gas central heating and double glazing
- EPC rating tbc

£675,000 FREEHOLD

59 GORSEY LANE, CANNOCK

SPACIOUS CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED AND EXTENDED WELL EQUIPPED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCE PROVIDING EXTENSIVE ACCOMMODATION IDEAL FOR BOTH FAMILY LIFE AND ENTERTAINING

- Lounge/family room
- Sitting room
- Dining room
- Breakfast kitchen
- Four bedrooms
- Family bathroom
- En-suite shower room
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- EPC rating 65

£310,000 FREEHOLD

OLD MANOR FARM, 68 NORTON LANE, GREAT WYRLEY

CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED EXTENDED AND WELL EQUIPPED CHARACTERFUL 4/5 BEROOMED DETACHED COTTAGE Located In A Popular Residential Area Of The Village With Well Stocked Gardens Extending To Approximately 1/3 Of an Acre

- 3 reception rooms
- Sitting room/ bedroom 5
- cloakroom with WC
- Conservatory
- Refitted kitchen and breakfast room
- Four bedrooms
- En-suite shower room and family bathroom
- Off road parking
- Gas centrally heated and predominantly double glazed
- EPC rating 49

£445,000 FREEHOLD

13 PENKRIDGE COURT, NEW PENKRIDGE ROAD, CANNOCK

WELL EQUIPPED FIRST FLOOR APARTMENT
Located In Popular Development Convenient For Facilities At The Town Centre

- Communal hall, stairs & landing
- Reception hall
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Bedroom
- Bathroom
- Allocated parking space
- Communal grounds
- Fully double glazed
- Gas central heating
- Security phone system
- Inspection recommended
- EPC rating 81

£82,500

HIGHFIELDS GARDENS

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HIGH MOUNT STREET, HEDNESFORD, WS12 4BN (WITH ACCESS BETWEEN 93 AND 103)

PHASE II OF WELL EQUIPPED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY HOMES
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97 OLD FALLOW ROAD, CANNOCK

CONSIDERABLY EXTENDED AND IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY HOUSE Located Within Reach Of Facilities At The Town Centre

- Cloakroom and cloaks/shower room
- Study
- Lounge and dining area, sitting/ garden room
- Kitchen with breakfast area
- Four double bedrooms
- Family bathroom and re-fitted en-suite shower room
- Integral garage
- Fully double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- EPC rating 65

£249,950 FREEHOLD

11 BOGNOP ROAD, ESSINGTON

WELL EQUIPPED DETACHED FIVE BEDROOMED FAMILY RESIDENCE OCCUPYING CORNER PLOT In This Popular South Staffordshire Village Convenient For Access To Surrounding Towns and Motorway Network

- Cloakroom with w.c.
- Lounge and Dining room
- Study
- Fitted breakfast kitchen
- Five bedrooms
- En-suite shower room
- Family bathroom
- Corner plot gardens
- Detached double width garage
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- EPC rating 56

£343,000 FREEHOLD

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Marwood Homes

Lakeland Court, Hednesford
- Stunning Family Home
- Situated On the Edge of Cannock Chase
- Lounge, Dining Room, Sitting Area
- Modern Re-Fitted Kitchen & Guest WC
- Four Bedrooms, Garage & Parking

£315,000

Meriden Close, Shoalhill
- Detached Bungalow
- Immaculately Presented
- Three Good Size Bedrooms
- Two Ensuite Shower Rooms
- Modern Kitchen/Diner

£285,000

Hewston Croft, Hednesford
- Rare Opportunity, Not to be Missed!
- Detached House with Swimming Pool
- Generous Living Accommodation
- Impressive Master Suite, En-suite & Bathroom
- Situated on generous Plot

£355,000

St. Marks Close, Great Wyrley
- Desirable Family Home
- Popular Cul-de-Sac Location
- Generous Living Space
- Fully Fitted Breakfast Kitchen
- Four Bedrooms

£269,950

Old Penkridge Road, Cannock
- Four Bed Detached Home
- Improved To High Standard
- With Stunning Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Large Back Garden
- Sought after Location

£339,950

Brook Road, Cheslyn Hay
- Four Bedroom Detached Family Home
- Modern Kitchen/Diner & Living Room
- Bathroom Upstairs, DownstairsWC
- Garage with Electric Door & Gardens
- Offered with No Upward Chain

£215,000

The Glade, Cannock
- Competitively Priced Family Home
- Sought After Location
- Generous Living Space
- Four Bedrooms
- No Upward Chain

£299,950

Coniston Way, Cannock
- Two Double Bedrooms
- Detached Bungalow
- Generous Living Room
- Stunning Kitchen / Diner
- Detached Garage

£249,950

Horseshoe Drive, Wimblebury
- Detached Family Home
- Well Proportioned
- Sought After Location
- Three Reception Rooms
- Four Bedrooms

£215,000

Stafford Street, Heath Hayes
- Detached Family Home
- Lounge, Dining Room, Conservatory
- Three Beds, Bathroom
- Landscaped Rear Garden
- Viewing Imperative, Energy Rating TBC

£175,000

Sparbridge Close, Cannock
- Modern Three Bedroom Detached
- Stylish Re-Fitted Kitchen Diner
- Lounge, Downstairs WC
- Recently Added Conservatory
- Garage, Landscaped Garden

£165,000

Stafford Road, Huntington
- Semi Detached Family Home
- Renovated to High Standard
- Generous Living Space
- Three Double Bedrooms
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Ample Off Road Parking

£175,000

Keats Avenue, Cannock
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge & Sun Room
- Fitted Kitchen
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Double Garage
- No Upward Chain Involved

£167,500

Butts Close, Norton Canes
- Ideal Investment Property
- Well Proportioned Living Space
- Three Reception Rooms
- Four Bedrooms, Upstairs Bathroom
- No Upward Chain.

£135,000

Pebblemill Close, Cannock
- Three Bedroom detached house
- Sought After Cul-de-Sac
- Generous Lounge
- In Need of Cosmetic Work
- NO UPWARD CHAIN

£155,000

Hobart Road, Heath Hayes
- Three Bedroom End Terrace
- Lounge/Diner & Conservatory
- Garage At Rear
- Low Maintenance Gardens
- Gas Central Heating

£125,000

Greenheath Road, Cannock
- Generous Lounge Dinner
- Kitchen With Breakfast Area
- Two Large Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Off Road Parking

£122,500

Brooklands Road, Cannock
- Refurbished To High Standard
- With Open Front Aspect
- Three Good Sized Bedrooms
- New Modern Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Modern Re-Fitted Family Bathroom
- Front And Back Entrance Hall

£117,500

Howard Crescent, Hednesford
- Improved Ideal Starter Home
- Close to Cannock Chase
- Re-fitted Breakfast Kitchen
- Generous Lounge/Diner
- Two Double Bedrooms
- Re-fitted WC & Bathroom

£109,950

St James Road, Cannock
- Three Double Bedroom Semi Detached
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Fully Fitted Kitchen
- Side Lobby & Downstairs WC
- No Chain Involved

£129,950

Marwood Homes

Old Penkridge Road, Cannock
- Stunning Detached Dormer Bungalow
- In Desirable Position Off Private Drive
- Exceptionally High Standard
- Three Double Bedrooms
- Generous Living Accommodation

£389,950

Olde Hall Lane, Great Wyrley
- Executive Detached Family Home
- Four Good Size Bedrooms
- Refurbished Kitchen & Utility
- Guest WC, Detached Double Garage
- No Chain Involved

£370,000

Rokholt Crescent, Shoal Hill
- Stunning Detached In Popular Area
- Well Presented Generous Living Space
- Impressive Re-fitted Kitchen/Diner
- Five Beds & Three Re-fitted En-suites
- Individually Designed Family Home

£365,000

Lakelands Court, Hednesford
- Desirable Executive Home
- No Upward Chain Involved
- Situated on Edge of Cannock Chase
- Fitted Kitchen, Guest WC, Lounge/Diner
- Four Bedrooms, Bathroom & En Suite

£309,950

Rawnsley Road, Hednesford
- Large Detached House
- Generous Living Accommodation
- Four Bedrooms and Two Bathrooms
- Ample Off Road Parking
- Viewing Imperative.

£275,000

Marigold Close, Heath Hayes
- Four Bedroom Detached Family Home
- Well Proportioned
- In Sought After Location
- Off Private Drive, Garden
- No Upward Chain

£210,000

Thirlmere Close, Cannock
- Sought After Location
- Stunning Refitted Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Potential 4th Bedroom
- Private Rear Garden

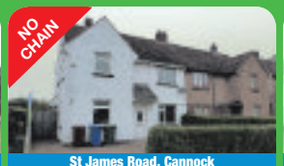
£199,950

High Mount Street, Hednesford
- Impressive Four Bed New Build
- Close to Hednesford Town Centre
- Master En-suite & Bathroom
- Lounge/Diner, Kitchen, Downstairs WC
- Detached Garage & Parking, No Chain

£189,950

Bideford Way, Cannock
- Immaculate Semi Detached House
- Popular Location, Conservatory
- Lounge/Diner, Re-fitted Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms and Luxury Bathroom
- Viewing Imperative, No Upward Chain

£155,000



St James Road, Cannock
- Three Double Bedroom Semi Detached
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Fully Fitted Kitchen
- Side Lobby & Downstairs WC
- No Chain Involved

£129,950

Marconi Place, Hednesford
- Well Presented Semi Detached Property
- In Popular Location, Modern Kitchen
- Lounge/Diner & Modern Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms and Bathroom
- Tandem Garage, Garden, No Chain

£125,000

Waterbrook Way, Cannock
- Very Well Presented Modern Home
- Stylish Kitchen / Diner, Living Room
- Three Bedrooms and Modern Bathroom
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Two Allocated Parking Spaces

£125,000

Wolverhampton Road, Cannock
- Traditional Semi Detached Home
- Close to Cannock Town Centre
- Lounge, Dining Room & Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms, Down Stairs Bathroom
- Enclosed Rear Garden & Front Fore-court

£118,000

Huntington Terrace, Cannock
- Detached Affordable Home
- Two Double Bedrooms & Bathroom
- Large Lounge/Diner & Kitchen
- Impressive Gardens, Viewing Essential
- NO CHAIN INVOLVED

£115,000

Heath Street, Hednesford
- Well Presented House
- Fitted Kitchen
- Two Double Bedrooms
- No Upward Chain
- Viewing Imperative

£99,950

Brunswick Road, Cannock
- Ground Floor Flat
- Large Private Garden
- Fitted Kitchen & Lounge
- Double Bedroom
- No Upward Chain

£77,500

The Firs mobile home park, Cannock
- Desirable Mobile Home
- Two Bedroom
- Drive & Garden Area
- No Upward Chain
- Over 55 Restrictions

£69,950

Woodford End, Cannock
- Ground Floor Apartment
- Well Proportioned Rooms
- Double Bedroom
- Re-fitted Kitchen
- No Upward Chain

£67,500

Pool Hayes Lane, Willenhall
- Immaculately presented family home
- Contemporary fully fitted kitchen
- Three reception rooms
- Five bedrooms
- Three bedrooms
- Part furnished
- Gated entrance
- Available now on a short term let

£1000.00pcm Sorry no DSS and no pets

Stafford Lane, Hednesford
- Immaculate detached family home
- Modern re-fitted kitchen
- Large lounge and dining room
- Three bedrooms
- Contemporary re-fitted bathroom
- Front and rear gardans
- Gas central heating and double glazing
- Driveway and garage

£800.00pcm Sorry no DSS and no pets

Canon Lane, Rugeley
- Brand new three story property
- Lounge overlooking rear garden
- Fitted kitchen with oven and hob
- Four bedrooms (master with en-suite)
- Good size rear garden
- Garage and driveway
- Gas central heating and double glazing
- Available now

£795.00pcm Sorry no DSS and no pets

Evergreen Heights, Cannock.
- Modern semi-detached family home
- Brand new kitchen to be fitted
- Spacious lounge
- Three bedrooms
- Gas central heating
- Garage and driveway
- Mature garden to the rear
- Available Soon

£615.00pcm Sorry no DSS and no pets

Forge Close, Cannock
- Modern first floor apartment
- Spacious lounge
- Open plan kitchen with appliances
- Two double bedrooms
- Master with en-suite
- Electric heating and double glazing
- Allocated parking
- Available now

£575.00pcm Sorry no DSS and no pets

Mill Crescent, Heath Hayes
- Modern end terrace property
- Spacious living room
- Two bedrooms
- Double glazing
- Gas central heating
- Popular area
- Ample parking
- Available beginning Nov

£525.00pcm Sorry no DSS and no pets

Eastgate Court, Stafford
- Modern second floor apartment
- Two bedrooms
- Open plan lounge & kitchen
- Communal gardens & allocated parking

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McGhie Court, Hednesford
- Two bedroom apartments available
- Fully fitted kitchen with appliances
- Double glazing and gas central heating
- Off road parking

£495.00pcm Sorry no dss and no pets

Sam Barber Court, Heath Hayes
- A well presented first floor apartment
- Spacious lounge, fitted kitchen
- Two double bedrooms
- Electric heating & double glazing

£475.00pcm Sorry no DSS and no pets

Eagleworks Drive, Walsall
- Two bed third floor modern apartment
- Lounge with Juliette Balcony
- Fully Fitted kitchen with Appliances
- Available now

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- One bed first floor apartment
- Open plan lounge and kitchen
- Electric heating and double glazing
- Garden to the rear

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Mere Croft
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£450,000

Wallace Court
CHESLYN HAY

Six bedroom executive property / sought after area in private cul-de-sac / spacious reception rooms and orangery to rear

Offers in Excess of £450,000

Chaseley Road
ETCHING HILL

Three bed detached bed / Double garage / Open lounge study / Kitchen with utility area / Breakfast room / Private rear garden / EPC: F

£380,000

Rugeley Road
HAZEL SLADE

Three bedroom detached bungalow / Large private rear garden / Sought after rural location / Drive for several vehicles

£345,000

Thornley Croft
CHESLYN HAY

Four bedroom detached house / Kitchen-diner / Guest WC & integral garage / En-suite to master / EPC: C

Offers in the Region Of £300,000

Peakes Road
ETCHING HILL

Secluded four bedroom family house / large corner plot with extensive gardens and parking for several vehicles / EPC: E

£299,950

Wimblebury Road
HEATH HAYES

Impressive four bedroom detached dormer bungalow / Utility & guest WC / Kitchen-diner / Large rear garden

£265,000

Littleworth Hill
HEDNESFORD

Four bedroom detached house / Large rear garden / Utility, WC & garage / Shower room / Drive for several vehicles / EPC: D

£250,000

Peterborough Drive
HEATH HAYES

Four bedroom detached house set on large corner plot / Utility & WC / Tarmac drive for up to three vehicles / EPC: D

£230,000

Brownhills Road
NORTON CANES

Four bedroom detached house / Situated on corner plot / En-suite to master / Detached single garage / EPC: C

Offers in Excess of £230,000

Church Road
NORTON CANES

Three bedroom detached house / Quiet location / Reception hallway / Fully fitted kitchen / WC & garage / EPC: D

£225,000

Stafford Lane
HEDNESFORD

Five bedroom detached house / Reception hallway / Lounge-diner / Conservatory / Integral garage / EPC: D

£210,000

Cherrington Drive
GREAT WYRLEY

Three bedroom detached house / Good sized end plot / Parking for several vehicles / Kitchen-diner / Family bathroom / EPC: D

£205,000

Deavall Way
HEATH HAYES

Four bedroom detached house / Dining area & kitchen / Utility, WC & integral garage / En-suite & family bathroom

£200,000

Arch Street
RUGELEY

Spacious four bedroom detached house / Utility & guest WC / Integral garage / Block paved drive for several vehicles

Offers in Excess of £200,000

Stephenson Way
HEDNESFORD

Three bedroom detached house / Conservatory / En-suite to master / Tarmac drive for up to three vehicles

Offers in the Region Of £195,000

Lakeside Drive
NORTON CANES

Three bedroom detached house / Conservatory / Large drive with parking for several vehicles / Separate garage

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Callaghan Grove
HEATH HAYES

Three bedroom detached house / Quiet cul-de-sac setting / Open plan lounger-diner / Integral single garage / EPC: E

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Cuckoo Close
HEATH HAYES

Two bedroom detached bungalow / NO ONWARD CHAIN / Family bathroom / Paved drive for three vehicles / EPC: D

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Walsall Road
GREAT WYRLEY

Three bedroom semi detached house / Countryside views to rear / Conservatory / Garage / NO ONWARD CHAIN / EPC: D

£180,000

Fremantle Drive
WIMBLEBURY

Modern three bedroom semi-detached house / Off road parking for three vehicles / Large conservatory to rear / Cul-de-sac location /

£180,000

Huntington Terrace Road
CHADSMOOR

Three bedroom bungalow / Kitchen-diner / Concrete print drive for several vehicles / Large garden / Separate garage / EPC: E

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Pye Green Road
CANNOCK

Four bed semi detached house / Lounge-diner / Conservatory / Utility, WC & garage / Concrete print drive for several vehicles / EPC: D

£175,000

Linden View
HEDNESFORD

Traditional five bedroom semi detached house / Re-fitted kitchen / En-suite to master / Tarmac drive for several vehicles

£168,950

Cannock Road
HEATH HAYES

Three bedroom detached house / Countryside views to the front / Kitchen-diner / Separate single rear garage / EPC: D

Offers in the Region Of £165,000

Meadowbrook Close
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Three bedroom town house / Set over three storeys / Quiet green to front of property / Allocated off road parking / Private rear garden

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Huntsmans Walk
RUGELEY

Four Bedroom Link Detached / Ground Floor Annexe Bedroom / Conservatory to Rear / Private Rear Garden / Cul-de-sac Location / EPC: D

£160,000

Dartmouth Road
TOWN CENTRE - CANNOCK

Two bedroom semi detached house / Family bathroom / Block paved drive for two vehicles / NO CHAIN & VACANT POSSESSION / EPC: D

Offers in Excess of £160,000

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£150,000

Walsall Road
GREAT WYRLEY

Three bedroom link detached cottage / Veranda & WC / Private driveway, garage & secure gated parking

£144,950

Chestnut Drive
GREAT WYRLEY

Three bedroom semi detached house / Kitchen-diner / Utility, Conservatory & WC / Family bathroom / Drive for two vehicles

Offers in Excess of £140,000

Sharon Way
HEDNESFORD

Three bedroom semi detached house / gated drive with parking for several vehicles plus garage / three reception room's

£140,000

Orion Way
CHADSMOOR

Three bedroom semi detached house / New kitchen & bathroom / Utility room / Large drive for several vehicles / Large rear garden

£130,000

Copperkins Road
HEDNESFORD

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Buttermere Close
CHADSMOOR

Three bedroom end terraced house / Kitchen-diner / Family bathroom / Large rear garden / Driveway & garage /

£125,000

Heath Street
HEDNESFORD

Two bedroom semi detached house / Quiet street location / Fully fitted modern kitchen-diner / Tarmac drive for two parked vehicles

£125,000

School Road
NORTON CANES

Three bedroom end terrace house / Newly fitted boiler / New boards and beams in loft with re-fitted roof / Front & rear garden / EPC: C

Offers in the Region Of £120,000

Anglesey Street
HEDNESFORD

Three bedroom mid terraced house / Separate ding room / Front yard and rear garden

Offers in Excess of £120,000

Broadway
HEDNESFORD

Three bedroom semi detached house / Kitchen-diner / Shower room / Stone gravel drive for two vehicles / EPC: D

Offers in Excess of £120,000

Silver Birch Road
NORTON CANES

Three Bedroom Mid-terrace House / Private Rear Garden / Off road parking on driveway / Breakfast kitchen & kitchen

£115,000

Dorney Place
CANNOCK

Modern well presented two bedroom apartment / Quiet cul-de-sac location / Family bathroom / Allocated parking for one vehicle / EPC: C

£110,000

Heath Way
HEATH HAYES

Two bedroom ground floor apartment / Hall, lounge, kitchen & bathroom / One allocated parking space / 50% Share / EPC: B

£106,000

Dorney Place
BRIDGTOWN

Two bed first floor new build apartment / NO ONWARD CHAIN / Quiet cul-de-sac / Allocated parking for one vehicle / EPC: B

£105,000

Sandpiper Close
HEDNESFORD

Two bedroom semi detached house / Ideal for first time buyers & investors / Spacious lounge / Off road allocated parking

£100,000

Aneurin Bevan Place
RUGELEY

Three Bedroom mid terraced house / Open plan lounge-diner / Off road parking / Front & rear gardens / EPC: C

£96,500

Park Road
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Second floor apartment / NO ONWARD CHAIN / Ideal for first time buyers / Allocated parking for one vehicle / EPC: C

£95,000

Chester Road
RUGELEY

Open plan one bedroom ground floor apartment / Ideal for first time buyers / NO UPWARD CHAIN / One allocated parking space / EPC: C

£90,000

Ulster Close
CHADSMOOR

Three bedroom semi detached house / Quiet cul-de-sac / Open plan kitchen/diner / Front & rear gardens / Drive for one vehicle / Separate garage

£90,000

Apple Walk
HEATH HAYES

Two bedroom second floor apartment / Lounge & kitchen / Allocated parking / Communal gardens / Ideal for first time buyers or investors

£87,500

Eskrett Street
HEDNESFORD

Spacious one bedroom ground floor maisonette / Ideal for first time buyers and investors / Allocated parking & communal garden

£80,000

Lancaster House
HEATH HAYES

One bedroom first floor maisonette / Inner hall / Open plan lounge-kitchen / Off road parking / Bathroom

Offers in the Region Of £70,000

Heath Way
HEATH HAYES

Two bedroom ground floor apartment / NO ONWARD CHAIN / 50% share / One allocated parking space / EPC: B

£52,000

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LITTLEWORTH ROAD

- Mid Terrace
- Lounge, D Room
- Refitted Kitchen
- Refitted Bathroom
- 3 Bedrooms
- Upvc D.Glazed
- Gardens
- Parking to Rear

£103,000

NEW

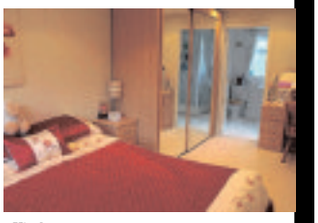
CANNOCK
CHASELEY CROFT

- Detached Home
- Individual Build
- 2 Reception Rooms
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Utility, Guests w.c.
- Refitted Bathroom
- 4 Bedrooms
- Double Garage

Motivated Sale £330,000

NEW

HEDNESFORD
LITTLEWORTH ROAD



- Four Bed Detached
- Hallway,
- Lounge
- Dining room,
- Conservatory
- Kitchen,
- Study/Playroom
- En- Suite, Family bathroom
- Driveway
- Gardens

Offers Around £194,950

NEW

BROOMHALL
VICTORIA STREET

- Traditional Detached House
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen, 2 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- G.C.H. D.Glazed
- NO CHAIN

£120,000

NEW

CHESLYN HAY
FRENSHAM CLOSE

- Semi Det House
- Lounge/Diner
- Fitted Kitchen
- 3 Beds.Bathroom
- Garage, G.C.H.
- Driveway, Gardens
- Viewing Recommended

£139,950

NEW

HEDNESFORD
BROADHURST GREEN

- Detached Bungalow
- Kitchen/Diner
- Lounge
- Refitted Bathroom
- Two Garages
- Extensive Gardens
- Private Driveway
- Must Be Viewed

£219,950

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NEW

HEATH HAYES
MEADOW WAY

- Detached Home
- Hallway,Guest W.C.
- Lounge,Kitchen/diner
- Playroom/study
- Five Bedrooms
- Bathroom,
- Driveway,Garage
- No Chain

£240,000

NEW

CANNOCK
DORNEY PLACE

- 1st Floor Apartment
- Hallway,Lounge
- Kitchen, 2 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- Communal Gardens
- Parking
- No Chain

£107,500

NEW

GREAT WYRLEY
CEDAR GROVE

- Detached Family Home
- Corner Plot
- 3 Reception Rooms
- 4 bedrooms. 2 En-suites
- Family Bathroom
- Double Detached Garage
- Landscaped Gardens

£300,000

NEW

HEDNESFORD
SWALLOWFIELDS DRIVE

- Semi Det House
- Lounge/Diner
- Kitchen
- 3 Beds. Bathroom
- Garage
- Driveway
- No Chain

£155,000

NEW

HEDNESFORD
HEATH STREET

- Spacious Terrace Home
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Refitted Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms
- Luxury Bathroom
- D.Glazed,
- G.C.H.
- No Chain

£109,950

NEW

CANNOCK
GIRTON ROAD

- Detached House
- Town Centre
- Lounge,Dining Room
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Re-Fitted Bedroom
- 3 Bedrooms
- Garage ,Gardens
- No chain

OFFERS AROUND £179,995

NEW

CANNOCK
PENKRIDGE COURT

- 1st Floor Apartment
- Reception Hallway
- Lounge/Diner
- Fitted Kitchen
- Double Bedroom
- Bathroom
- Upvc D.Glazed
- Allocated Parking

£82,500

NEW

CANNOCK
AVON ROAD

- Fully Refurbished
- Semi Detached
- Lounge, Kitchen/Diner
- Utility Room. Guests W.C.
- 2 Double Bedrooms
- Luxury Bathroom
- Gardens, Driveway

£132,000

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REDUCED

CANNOCK
GORSEY LANE

- Detached Home
- Lounge, D. Room
- Kitchen,W.C.
- 4 Bedrooms,En-Suite
- Family Bathroom
- Garage,Driveway
- Rear Garden
- Upvc D.G.,G.C.H.

£329,950

GREAT WYRLEY
ST.MARKS CLOSE

- Detached Home
- Through Hallway
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Dining Room.
- 4 Bedrooms,En-suite
- Family Bathroom
- UPVC D.G,,Gardens
- Viewing Rec

£269,950

NORTON CANES
KINGSWOOD DRIVE

- Extended Detached
- Lounge,Conservatory
- Dining/Family Room
- Breakfast Kitchen
- 3 Bedrooms
- Refitted Bathroom
- Gardens
- Driveway

£159,950

NO CHAIN

CHESLYN HAY
HAWTHORNE ROAD

- Extended Family Home
- Contempory Lounge
- Bespoke Family Kitchen
- 3 Bedrooms. Dressing Room
- Luxury Bathroom
- Garage
- Viewing a Must

£209,950

NO CHAIN

HEATH HAYES
MEADOW WAY

- Detached Home
- Hallway,Guest W.C.
- Lounge,Kitchen/diner
- Playroom/study
- Five Bedrooms
- Bathroom,
- Driveway,Garage
- No Chain

£240,000

HEDNESFORD
COTSWOLD CLOSE

- Semi Detached
- Lounge, Kitchen
- 3 Double Bedrooms
- 2 Family Bathrooms
- Off Road Parking
- Gardens, Driveway
- Close to Cannock Chase

£136,950

NO CHAIN

HEATH HAYES
WIMBLEBURY ROAD

- Detached Dorma Bungalow
- Hallway, Lounge
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Five Bedrooms
- En-Suite, Bathroom
- Detached Garage
- Gardens

£299,950

NO CHAIN

GREAT WYRLEY
HOLLY LANE

- Extended Semi
- Lounge,Dining Room
- Kitchen,Utility
- 3 Bedrooms.
- Bathroom
- Garage,Parking
- Extensive Gardens
- No Chain

£155,000

NO CHAIN

HEATH HAYES
QUAIL CLOSE

- 3 Bed Det.Home
- Lounge, D. Room
- Kitchen
- Guests w.c.
- En-Suite, Bathroom
- Gardens, Garage
- No Chain

£189,950

GREAT WYRLEY
WALSALL ROAD

- Detached House
- Reception Hallway
- Guests w.c. Lounge
- Dining/Family Room
- Breakfast Kitchen
- 4 Bedrooms,En-suite
- Bathroom
- Det. Double Garage

£285,000

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LITTLEWORTH ROAD

- Detached Home
- Through Hallway
- Lounge/Diner
- Kitchen, Guests W.C
- Utility Room
- 3 Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Gardens

£194,950

CANNOCK
HEDNESFORD STREET

- Town Centre
- 4 Bed Det
- Hall, Guests w.c.
- Lounge.
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Gardens, Garage
- Driveway

£225,000

CANNOCK
LANGDALE DRIVE

- Semi Det Dorma
- Hallway, Kitchen
- Lounge,
- Dining Room
- 3 Bedrooms,
- Bathroom
- G.C.H. D.Glazed
- Driveway, Garage

£152,500

HEATH HAYES
HEDNESFORD ROAD

- End terrace
- Lounge, Dining room
- Kitchen
- 2 Beds. Bathroom
- G.C.H. Upvc D.G
- Off Road Parking
- Rear Garden
- Viewing rec

£100,000

HEDNESFORD
BOOTH STREET

- End Terraced
- Through Hallway
- Lounge,dining Room
- Refitted Kitchen
- 2 Double Bedrooms
- Re-fitted Bathroom
- Off Road Parking
- Courtvard Garden

£107,000

HEATH HAYES
SWEETBRIAR WAY

- Detached House
- Through Hallway, Guest W.C.
- Sitting Room, Lounge
- Dining Room. Conservatory
- Kitchen, Utility Room
- 5 Bedrooms, En-Suite
- Bathroom, Garage
- Driveway. Gardens

OFFERS OVER £300,000

CANNOCK
LANGDALE DRIVE

- End Town House
- Porch, Kitchen
- Lounge/Diner
- Conservatory
- 3 Beds, Bathroom
- G.C.H. Upvc D.G
- Garage, Garden
- Driveway

£127,500

NO CHAIN

NORTON CANES
DEER CLOSE

- 4 Bed Det
- Porch,Hallway
- Dining Room
- Lounge,Sun Room
- Study,Kitchen,utility
- en-suite,Bathroom
- Gardens,Driveway
- Garage. No Chain

£260,000

NO CHAIN

HEDNESFORD
SANDPIPER CLOSE

- Extended Semi
- Entrance Porch
- Lounge, D Room
- re-fitted
- Kitchen,utility
- 2 Bedrooms
- Bathroom, Parking
- Gardens

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- New Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing
- Parking for 2 Cars
- Garden
- EPC Rating D

£750 pcm + FEES - NO DSS

CHESLYN HAY
ROSEMARY ROAD

- Unfurnished
- Semi Detached House
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- 3 Bedrooms
- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing
- Garden
- Garage
- EPC Rating D

£650 pcm + FEES - NO DSS

NORTON CANES
NEWMARKET ROAD

- Unfurnished
- Semi Detached House
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- 3 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- EnSuite
- Double Glazing
- Gas Central Heating
- Garden
- Parking
- EPC Rating D

£625 pcm + FEES - NO DSS

RUGELEY
LANEHEAD WALK

- Unfurnished
- Semi Detached House
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- 3 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Garden
- Double Glazing
- Gas Central Heating
- Parking
- EPC Rating D

£595 pcm + FEES - NO DSS

HEATH HAYES
CHAPEL STREET

- Unfurnished
- Semi Detached House
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing
- Garden
- EPC Rating D

£495 pcm + FEES - NO DSS

HEATH HAYES
APPLE WALK

- Unfurnished
- Back 2 Back House
- Lounge
- New Fitted Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Newly decorated
- Gardens Maintained
- Parking
- EPC Rating D

£475 pcm + FEES - NO DSS

BLOXWICH
MAY STREET

- Unfurnished
- Terrace House
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing
- Garden
- EPC Rating D

£475 pcm + FEES - NO DSS

CANNOCK
PRICE STREET

- Unfurnished
- Terrace House
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Garden
- Double Glazing
- Gas Central Heating
- EPC Rating D

£475 pcm + FEES - NO DSS

HEDNESFORD
LITTLEWORTH ROAD

- Unfurnished
- Terraced House
- Lounge
- Kitchen/Diner
- 2 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing
- Parking
- EPC Rating D

£450 pcm + FEES - NO DSS

CANNOCK
KENILWORTH COURT, MILL ST

- Unfurnished
- First Floor Flat
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- 1 Bedroom
- Bathroom
- Heating
- Double Glazing
- Allocated Parking
- EPC Rating D

£395 pcm + FEES - NO DSS

RAWNSLEY
IRONSTONE ROAD

- Newly Decorated
- Unfurnished
- Ground Floor Flat
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- 1 Bedroom
- Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing
- Parking
- Communal Garden
- EPC Rating C

£375 pcm + FEES - NO DSS

HEDNESFORD
GREENWOOD PARK

- Unfurnished
- Semi Detached House
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Conservatory
- Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing
- Parking
- Garden
- EPC Rating C

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- Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing
- Parking
- EPC Rating B

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- Lounge/dining room
- Refitted kitchen
- Side enclosed verandah
- Utility room
- Two bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom
- All windows double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- Off road parking
- EPC rating: 52

£575 pcm

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- Lounge
- Fitted kitchen
- Two bedrooms
- En-suite shower room & bathroom
- Fully double glazed
- Gas central heating
- Allocated parking space
- Intercom access
- Sorry no pets, smokers or DSS
- EPC rating: 80

£550 pcm

40 HEATH GAP ROAD, CANNOCK

WELL EQUIPPED TWO BEDROOMED SEMI DETACHED HOUSE

- Lounge
- Refitted kitchen
- UPVC double glazed conservatory
- Guests cloakroom
- Two bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Sorry no pets, smokers or DSS
- EPC rating: 47

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- EPC rating 70

£1750 pcm

22 ROWLEY CLOSE, HEDNESFORD

REFURBISHED THREE BEDROOM SEMI DETACHED HOUSE

- Lounge
- Breakfast kitchen
- Utility room
- Three bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Gardens
- Sorry no pets, smokers or DSS
- EPC rating: tbc

£525 pcm

47 COPPICE ROAD, RUGELEY

SPACIOUS THREE BEDROOM END TERRACED HOUSE
Within Easy Access Of Local Facilities

- Lounge/dining room
- Dining kitchen
- Utility room
- Three bedrooms
- Bathroom & separate WC
- Fully double glazed
- Gas central heating
- Front & rear gardens
- Sorry no pets, smokers or DSS
- EPC rating: 56

£500 pcm

31 LAPWING CLOSE, CHESLYN HAY

WELL EQUIPPED THREE BEDROOMED LINKED DETACHED HOUSE
Located In Sought After Residential Area

- Lounge & dining room
- UPVC double glazed conservatory
- Refitted kitchen & utility area
- Three bedrooms
- Ground floor WC & first floor bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Built-on garage
- Sorry no pets, smokers or DSS
- EPC rating: 64

£675 pcm

147C BROWNHILLS ROAD, NORTON CANES

WELL EQUIPPED THREE BEDROOMED DETACHED HOUSE
Conveniently Located For Local Facilities

- Lounge
- Dining kitchen
- Conservatory
- Three bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Double glazed
- Gardens
- Sorry no DSS, smokers or pets allowed
- EPC rating: 54

£675 pcm

18 KINROSS AVENUE, HEDNESFORD

WELL APPOINTED DECEPTIVELY SPACIOUS FOUR BEDROOM DETACHED BUNGALOW
Located In Sought After Residential Area

- Lounge/dining area
- Kitchen
- Master bedroom with dressing area & en-suite
- Three further bedrooms
- Family bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Off road parking
- Sorry no smokers, pets or DSS
- EPC rating: tbc

£795 pcm

5 RICKYARD PLACE, TEDDESLEY PARK ESTATE, PENKRIDGE

WELL EQUIPPED TWO STOREY TWO BEDROOMED BARN CONVERSION
Located On The Picturesque Rural Estate Of Teddesley Park

- Open plan lounge/kitchen
- Landing
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Fully double glazed
- Oil fired central heating
- Communal grounds
- Sorry no pets, DSS or smokers
- EPC rating: 82

£615 pcm plus monthly service charge

9 HATHERTON ROAD, CANNOCK

ATTRACTIVE THREE BEDROOMED SEMI DETACHED HOUSE
Located In Sought After Residential Area Convenient For Facilities At The Town Centre

- Lounge
- Dining room
- Refitted kitchen
- Refitted bathroom
- Three bedrooms
- Brick built garden store/possible office
- Gas central heating
- Off road parking
- No DSS, smokers or pets
- EPC rating: 43

£625 pcm

APT 14 BEECH TREE COURT, BEECH TREE LANE, CANNOCK

TWO BEDROOM GROUND FLOOR APARTMENT
Located Within Easy Access Of Facilities At The Town Centre

- Reception hall
- Open plan lounge/kitchen
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Off road parking
- Sorry no pets, smokers or DSS
- EPC rating: 78

£495 pcm

54 CHENET WAY, CANNOCK

WELL EQUIPPED FOUR BEDROOM DETACHED HOUSE
Located In Sought After Residential Area

- Lounge & dining room
- Dining kitchen
- Utility room
- Four bedrooms
- Family bathroom & en-suite shower room
- Built-on double garage
- Gas central heating & fully double glazed
- South facing rear garden
- Sorry no DSS, pets or smokers
- EPC rating: 72

£900 pcm

31 BIDEFORD WAY, CANNOCK

REFURBISHED WELL EQUIPPED SPACIOUS TWO BEDROOM SEMI DETACHED HOUSE Located In Popular Residential Area Convenient For Local Facilities

- Lounge
- UPVC double glazed conservatory
- Refitted kitchen
- Side entrance lobby/utility
- Two bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Predominantly double glazed
- Sorry no DSS, smokers or pets
- EPC rating: 68

£565 pcm

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- Freehold
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- Shower Room
- Conservatory
- Off Road Parking
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- Dining Room

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- Utility Room
- Garage
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- UPVC Double Glazing
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- Shower Room
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- Gas Central Heating
- Three Bedrooms
- Parking
- Rear Garden
- Freehold

£105,000

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- UPVC Double Glazing
- Driveway
- No Pets No Smoking
- No Housing Benefit Applications
- Agency Fees Apply

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First floor flat situated near town centre, benefiting from Gas Central Heating. Accommodation comprises Lounge, Kitchen with some appliances, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Off road parking to rear. Viewing recommended.

No DSS. No Smokers. No Pets. EPC RATING - C

DEPOSIT £553
£450 pcm

Bow Street, Rugeley

First floor flat with town centre location. Accommodation comprises of Entrance Hall, Lounge, Kitchen, two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Electric heating. Property accessed via an external metal staircase. Viewing Recommended FIRST MONTHS RENT FREE.

NO DSS. NO SMOKERS. NO PETS. EPC Rating E

DEPOSIT £692
£500 pcm

Sunbeam Drive, Great Wyrley

First Floor Maisonette benefiting from Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Kitchen with some appliances, Lounge. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Off road parking. VIEWING RECOMMENDED.

NO DSS. NO SMOKERS. NO PETS EPC Rating C

DEPOSIT £713
£515 pcm

Bedford Way, Rugeley

Terraced property within walking distance of Cannock Chase. Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing. Comprises of Entrance Hall, Kitchen, Lounge and Dining room. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear. Parking at rear. NO DSS.

NO SMOKERS. NO PETS. EPC RATING D

DEPOSIT £734
£530 pcm

Bracken Way, Rugeley

Spacious semi-detached property comprising of Entrance Hall, spacious Lounge, Kitchen. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear. Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Driveway. VIEWING RECOMMENDED.

NO DSS. NO PETS. NO SMOKERS. EPC Rating E

DEPOSIT £790
£570 pcm

Levett Grange, Rugeley

Well presented property in popular location. Accommodation comprises of Entrance Hall, Lounge, Kitchen, Guest Cloaks. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Driveway Parking. Gardens to front and rear. VIEWING HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

NO DSS. NO SMOKERS. NO PETS. EPC Rating C.

DEPOSIT £900
£650 pcm

Burnthill Lane, Rugeley

Modern detached property.. Comprising Entrance Hall, Lounge, Guest Cloakroom, Dining Kitchen with some appliances. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom, En-suite to master.Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Gardens to front and rear. Driveway and Garage. EPC Rating C

NO DSS. NO SMOKERS. NO PETS

DEPOSIT £900
£650 pcm

Sandy Court, Cannock

Modern furnished well presented first floor apartment in sought after location with security entrance system. Entrance Hall,Open Plan Lounge,Dining Kitchen.Two Bedrooms with fitted wardrobes, Ensuite Shower Room to Master,Family Bathroom.Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing.Communal Gardens. Off Road Parking within gated secure area. VIEWING RECOMMENDED.EPC rating C.NO DSS.NO PETS.NO SMOKING.DEPOSIT £1000

£675 pcm

End Cottage, Colton

Character Cottage in rural location. Vestibule Entrance Hall, Lounge with feature fireplace, Kitchen with some appliances. Three Bedrooms, Master having feature beams, Bathroom with separate shower cubicle, additional Guest Cloaks. Oil Fired Central Heating and Double Glazing. Secure off road parking. VIEWING HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.NO DSS. NO SMOKERS. NO PETS. EPC Rating D

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Station Road, Hednesford

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Ideal Investment property EPC RATING - D

£59,995

Crossley Stone, Rugeley

Located within the town centre close to local amenities is this unusual town house. Offered with the benefit of Gas central heating the accommodation comprises of Lounge, Kitchen, One Bedroom and Bathroom. There is a small foregarden. Offered with NO UPWARD CHAIN.

EPC RATING - E

£77,500

Greenheath Road, Hednesford

This two bedroomed first floor flat is located within walking distance to Hednesford town centre. Ideal for investors or first time buyers the accommodation comprises of Entrance Hall, Lounge, Kitchen, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. In addition there is allocated parking. Offered with NO UPWARD CHAIN.

EPC RATING - D

£84,995

Church Street, Rugeley

In need of upgrade and refurbishment is this traditional terraced property located in the town centre close to local amenities. Benefiting from Gas Central Heating. The accommodation comprises of an Entrance Lobby, Cellar, Lounge, Dining Room and Kitchen. Landing,Three Bedrooms and Shower Room. Garden to rear. NO UPWARD CHAIN. EPC RATING - E

£85,000

Canterbury Drive, Rugeley

A modern first floor apartment located on a sought after development. Benefiting from Electric Storage Heating the property is offered with NO UPWARD CHAIN. Entrance Hallway to First Floor Landing, Lounge, Open Plan Kitchen, One Bedroom and Bathroom. Allocated parking. EPC RATING - C

£86,995

Brereton Mews, Brereton

A two bedroomed ground floor flat, available with nc upward chain and is ideal for investors and first time buyers. Gas Central Heating. Inner Hallway, Lounge, Kitchen, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Allocatec parking.

EPC RATING - B

£102,500

Ravenhill Terrace, Rugeley

A two bedroomed mid terraced property ideal for first time buyers.UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating. Entrance Porch, Hallway, Lounge, Dining Room, Conservatory, Fitted Kitchen. Landing, Two Bedrooms and Large Bathroom. Outside to Utility Room and W.C. Garden to rear.

EPC RATING - D

£115,000

Springhill Terrace, Rugeley

A three bedroomed mid terraced property available with no upward chain. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Entrance Hallway,Lounge,Breakfast Kitchen and Conservatory. Landing,Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Parking to front and Detached Garage with Garden to rear. NO UPWARD CHAIN.

EPC RATING - C

£119,950

Lower Birches Way, Rugeley

A two bedroomed town house on a sought after estate. Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Entrance Hall, Ground Floor WC, Kitchen and Lounge. Landing, Two Bedrooms and Family Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear and allocated parking.

EPC RATING - C

£122,500

Upper Cross Road, Rugeley

A well presented traditional three bedroomed semi detached property within walking distance to town centre. Gas Central Heating. The accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway,Downstairs Shower Room,Two Reception Rooms and Kitchen. Landing,Three Bedrooms and Family Bathroom. Parking and Good sized Garden to Front and Rear.

EPC RATING - D

£127,500

Chester Road, Rugeley

A well presented three bedroomed end terraced property,on a modern housing development. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway,Guest Cloakroom, Kitchen and Lounge. Landing,Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Garden to rear and Allocated Parking. AVALABLE WITH NO UPWARD CHAIN.

EPC RATING - C

£134,995

Gorse Lane, Brereton

A three bedroomed detached bungalow in need of upgrade but situated in a sought after,quiet location. Gas Central Heating and Part Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises of Entrance Hallway,Three Bedrooms,Shower Room, Lounge,Dining Room,Kitchen and Lean Too. Driveway for off road parking and Gardens to front and rear. AVAILABLE WITH NO UPWARD CHAIN.

EPC RATING - E

£154,950

Greenfields Drive, Rugeley

A well presented three bedroomed link detached property on a sought after estate. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Porch, Lounge,Dining Room and Kitchen. Landing,Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Off road parking for several vehicles to Garage and Garden to rear.

EPC RATING - D

£159,950

Mavesyn Close, Hill Ridware

A semi detached bungalow in a popular village location. Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Entrance Hall, Lounge, Kitchen, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Garage, off road parking and gardens to front and rear.

EPC RATING - C

£164,950

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Millcroft Way, Handsacre

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£217,000

Garden Drive, Rugeley

Positioned in a non-estate position is this well presented two bedroomed detached bungalow. The property benefits from Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Entrance Porch, Entrance Hall, Two Reception Rooms, Kitchen, Conservatory, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. A good sized driveway to the side provides ample off-road parking and leads to the GARAGE.Gardens to front and rear. NO UPWARD CHAIN. EPC RATING - E

£224,995

Fortescue Lane, Rugeley

A well presented three bedroomed detached traditional property in town centre location. Having a large garden to rear and spacious accommodation. Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway,Guest Cloakroom, Lounge,Two further Reception Rooms and Breakfast Kitchen. Landing,Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Driveway to Detached Garage and well maintained good sized gardens to front and rear. EPC RATING - E

£229,995

Eaton Drive, Rugeley

An immaculately presented four bedroomed detached family home in a sought after location. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway,Guest Cloakroom,Lounge,C onservatory,Family Room and Breakfast Kitchen. Landing, Master Bedroom with En Suite Shower Room,Three further Bedrooms and Family Bathroom. Driveway to Garage and Gardens to front and rear. AVAILABLE WITH NO UPWARD CHAIN.

EPC RATING - C

£230,000

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Glovers Hill Court, Brereton

A two bedroomed modern ground floor apartment,ideal for investors or first time buyers. UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating. Communal Hallway,Entrance Hall, Lounge leading to Open Plan Kitchen, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Allocated parking. NO UPWARD CHAIN.

EPC RATING - C
£110,000

The Cloisters, Hawksyard Estate

This modern one bedroomed coach house being located on a new housing development is an ideal purchase for a First Time Buyer. This well presented gas central heated accommodation comprises of Entrance Hallway, Landing, Lounge/Dining Room, Kitchen, Bedroom and Bathroom. Allocated parking to Garage.

EPC RATING - C
£110,000

Watson Close, Rugeley

Being located within a quiet caul de sac, this two bedroomed semi detached property is an ideal family home. Being gas centrally heated throughout the accommodation comprises of Entrance Hallway, Lounge and Kitchen. First Floor Landing leads to Two Bedrooms and Family Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear and driveway providing off road parking.

EPC RATING - D
£112,000

Johnson Close, Rugeley

A three bedroomed mid terraced property being ideal for first time buyers or investors. Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Porch,Lounge and Breakfast Kitchen. Landing,Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear and Off road parking. NO UPWARD CHAIN.

EPC RATING - D
£115,000

Fairmount Way, Rugeley

A three bedroomed semi detached property in a quiet sought after cul de sac location. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Entrance Hallway,Lounge and Breakfast Kitchen. Landing,Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Driveway to Garage and Gardens to front and rear.

EPC RATING - D
£134,995

Upper Lodge Road, Armitage

A two bedroomed semi detached bungalow in need of upgrade. Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Entrance Hallway, Lounge, Kitchen, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear. Views over neighboring fields NO UPWARD CHAIN.

EPC RATING - D
£134,995

Springfield Road, Rugeley

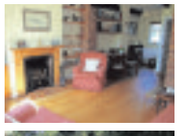
A traditional three bedroomed semi detached property within walking distance to town centre. UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway, Lounge,Second Reception Room, Utility Room,Guest Cloakroom and Breakfast Kitchen. Landing,Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Driveway for several vehicles and Gardens to front and rear.

EPC RATING - D
£137,500

Lodge Road, Brereton

A well presented three bedroomed semi detached property situated close to local amenities. Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Reception Hallway, Lounge/Dining Room, Fitted Kitchen and Utility Room. Landing, Three Bedrooms and Shower Room. Off road parking to Garage and garden to rear.

EPC RATING - D
£145,000



Williscroft Place, Colton

A beautifully presented character home located in the popular village of Colton. This Gas Centrally heated and Double-glazed property has a wealth of charm throughout. The accommodation comprises of Open Lounge/ Dining Room, Inner Hallway, Fitted Breakfast Kitchen and Cellar. On the first First Floor Landing, Two Bedrooms, Family Room, Attic Room and Family Bathroom. Garden to rear and summer house.

EPC RATING - E
£195,000

Church Street, Rugeley

A traditional three storey townhouse situated in town centre.UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway,Cellar,Lounge,Dining Room and Kitchen.First Floor Landing,Two Bedrooms and Bathroom.Second Floor Landing to Master Bedroom with En Suite Shower Room.Garden to Rear and off road parking.

EPC RATING - D
£190,000

Rowan Drive, Handsacre

A well presented two bedroomed detached bungalow in a sought after village location. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Porch, Hallway,Shower Room, Two Bedrooms, Lounge,Conservatory and Kitchen. Driveway to Garage and Gardens to front and rear.

NO UPWARD CHAIN.
£199,950

Thorn Close, Rugeley

A good sized detached four bedroomed family home in a quiet cul de sac location. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway,Guest Cloakroom,Lounge,Dining Room,Conservatory and Breakfast Kitchen. Landing,Master Bedroom with Shower En Suite,Three further Bedrooms and Family Bathroom. Driveway to Garage and Gardens to front and rear. AVAILABLE WITH NO UPWARD CHAIN.

EPC RATING - D
£230,000

Main Road, Brereton

A detached family home within walking distance to town centre. Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Entrance Porch, Entrance Hall, Lounge, Kitchen, Conservatory, Guest Cloakroom and Basement/Bedroom Four. Landing, a further Three Bedrooms and Family Bathroom.
Off road parking to Garage and garden to rear.

EPC RATING - E
£249,995

Little Tixall Lane, Great Haywood

A three bedroomed detached bungalow in a sought after village location,available with no upward chain. Double Glazing and Electric Heating. Accommodation comprises Entrance Porch, Inner Reception Room, Three Bedrooms with one having En Suite Shower Room, Bathroom,Lounge and Kitchen. Large foregarden with open aspect to front leading onto Driveway to Double Garage and private garden to rear. NO UPWARD CHAIN.

EPC RATING - E
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Castle Croft, Norton Canes

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Price £425,000

Hussey Road, Norton Canes

Jayman Estate Agents offer this three bedroom link detached property briefly comprises; lounge, kitchen diner and a family bathroom. The property also benefits form having a rear garden and a garage. Awaiting EPC.

Price £130,000

Huntington Terrace Road, Cannock

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this three bedroom semi detached property briefly comprising; entrance hall, lounge/diner, kitchen, utility room, bathroom, driveway for several vehicles and a good sized rear garden. Awaiting EPC

Price £149,950

Woodland Close, Hednesford

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this two bedroom semi-detached property briefly comprising; kitchen, lounge, bathroom and a garden. Energy Rating D

Price £99,950

Long Lane, Great Wyrley

Jayman Estate Agents are delighted to offer for sale this four bedroom detached property briefly comprising; lounge, dining room, kitchen, downstairs WC,bathroom and rear garden. Energy Rating E

Price £200,000

Eskrett Street, Hednesford

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this one bedroom apartment breifly comprising; lounge, kitchen and shower room. The property also benefits from having allocated parking. Awaiting EPC

Price £65,000

Heathland Close, Cannock

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this delightful three bedroom semi detached property located in Heath Hayes briefly comprising entrance porch, entrance hall, lounge, dining area, kitchen, family bathroom, front and rear gardens. Energy Rating D

Price £139,950

Colliers Way, Huntington

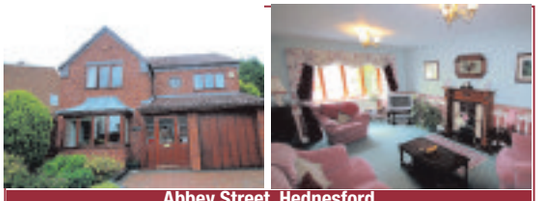
Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this two bedroom apartment located in Huntington. The property briefly comprises; entrance hall, lounge, kitchen, and a bathroom. The property also benefits from having gas central heating and Juliet balconies. Energy Rating C

Price £41,000

Stafford Road, Huntington

Jayman Estate Agents are pleased to offer for sale this delightful three bedroom end terrace property briefly comprising; lounge, dining room, kitchen and family bathroom. The property also benefits from having a rear garden. Energy Rating E

Price £99,950



Abbey Street, Hednesford

Jayman offer this detached property briefly comprising; hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen, utility, conservatory, WC, three bedrooms, study, fourth bedroom, ensuite, bathroom, double glazing & central heating.Energy Rating C

Offers Over £210,000

Copperkins Road, Hednesford

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this three bedroom detached property briefly comprising; lounge, kitchen/diner, and a family bathroom. The property also benefits from having double glazing, gas central heating, a driveway and a rear garden. Energy Rating C

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Price £149,500

Beverley Close, Penkridge

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this six bedroom detached house briefly comprising; lounge, dining room, shower room, kitchen, utility room, conservatory, en suite, a family bathroom, a driveway, rear garden, a log cabin and a garage. Energy Rating D

Price £289,950

Meadowsweet Way, Cannock

Jayman are pleased to offer this stunning 3 bed detached property located in Cannock. Briefly comprising, Hallway, Lounge, Dining Room, Conservatory, Breakfast Kitchen, En suite and Garage. Energy Rating C

Price £195,000

Love Lane, Great Wyrley

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this three bedroom semi detached house briefly comprising; lounge, dining room, kitchen, family bathroom, an outbuilding that could be used as a play room or office and a double garage. Energy Rating D

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Walsall Road, Cannock

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Offers Over £200,000

Farm Close, Rugeley

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this three bedroom detached house located in Rugeley briefly comprising; entrance hall, lounge, kitchen, a family bathroom, separate WC, double glazing, gas central heating and a garage. Energy Rating D

Price £174,950

Scott Street, Wimblebury

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this three bedroom detached property briefly comprising downstairs bedroom/ study, downstairs WC, lounge, kitchen/diner, to the third floor two bedrooms and a bathroom. Energy Rating D

Offers Over £160,000

Longstaff Avenue, Rawnsley

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this three bedroom detached property briefly comprising; lounge, re fitted kitchen, utility room, side lobby, basement/play room, bathroom , en suite, double glazing, gas central heating and gardens. NO CHAIN. Energy Rating C

Offers Over £200,000

Chenet Way, Cannock

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this four bedroom detached property briefly comprising, entrance hall,lounge, dining room, study, WC, kitchen, utility room, conservatory, to the first floor, master bedroom with en-suite and family bathroom. Energy Rating C

Price £244,950

Broadway, Hendesford

Jayman are pleased to offer this two bedroom semi detached property briefly comprising; entrance hall, lounge, kitchen, utility room, two bedrooms, bathroom, rear garden, double glazing and gas central heating. Energy Rating E

Price £99,950

Walnut Drive, Cannock

Jayman Estate Agents are pleased to offer for sale this three bedroom semi detached house briefly comprising; lounge, kitchen, sun room, a family bathroom, double glazing, front and a rear gardens, a driveway and a garage. Energy Rating C

Price £124,950

Belt Road, Hednesford

Three bedroom detached house briefly comprising; cloakroom, lounge, kitchen, three bedrooms, a family bathroom, single glazing, double glazing and gas central heating. Energy Rating D

Price £159,950

Pye Green Road, Cannock

Jayman offer for sale this three bedroom semi detached comprising lounge, kitchen, pantry and a family bathroom. The property also benefits from having a good sized rear garden and detached garage. Energy Rating D

£147,000

St Marks Close, Great Wyrley

Jayman offer for sale this five bedroom detached property briefly comprising; Lounge, Study, Dining Room, Kitchen, Cloakroom, Utility Room, to the first floor Master Bedroom with En suite, and a family bathroom. Energy Rating C

Price £355,000

New Penkridge Road,

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this three bedroom dormer bungalow briefly comprising; lounge, garden room, dining room/bedroom, conservatory, two kitchens, family bathroom and a double garage. Energy Rating E

Price £315,000

Sandy Lane, Shoal Hill

Jayman Estate Agents are pleased to offer for sale this four bedroom traditional detached house briefly comprising; entrance hall, cloakroom, lounge, kitchen, conservatory, four bedrooms and a family bathroom. Energy Rating E

Price £239,500

Lyndhurst Road, Heath Hayes

Jayman Estate Agents are delighted to offer for sale this two bedroom end terrace house located in Heath Hayes briefly comprising; entrance hall, lounge, kitchen, utility room, bathroom, double glazing and gas central heating. Energy Rating E

Price £117,000

Chasewater Way, Norton

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale with no upward chain this three Bedroom Link Detached property in Norton Canes. Comprising Lounge, Kitchen/Diner, Study, Family Bathroom, Garage, Rear Garden and Driveway to the Front. Energy Rating E

Price £150,000

Central Avenue, Cannock

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this three bedroom semi detached house briefly comprising; entrance hall, cloakroom, lounge, kitchen, a family bathroom, double glazing, gas central heating, a driveway and a large side/rear garden. Energy Rating D

Price £114,950

Victory Close, Wimblebury

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this three bedroom detached house briefly comprising; lounge, kitchen, conservatory, bathroom, en suite, gardens and a garage. Energy Rating D

Price £159,950

Braemar Gardens,

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this three bedroom semi detached house briefly comprising; lounge, dining room, kitchen, conservatory, bathroom with separate WC, double glazing, gas central heating. gardens and a garage. Energy Rating E

Price £149,950

Mount Street, Hednesford

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this three bedroom semi detached house briefly comprising; entrance hall, lounge/diner, kitchen, family bathroom, double glazing and gas central heating. Energy Rating D

Price £119,950

Fallowfield, Cannock

Jayman Estate Agents are pleased to offer for sale this two bedroom semi - detached bungalow with central heating and double glazing. Comprising of entrance hall, lounge/dining room, kitchen, bathroom/w.c and gardens. Energy Rating D

Price £114,950

Bramble Way, Rugeley

Jayman Estate Agents are pleased to offer for sale this three bedroom detached house briefly comprising; cloakroom, lounge, dining room/entertainment room, kitchen, shower room, gas central heating and a rear garden. Awaiting EPC.

Price £209,950

Foster Avenue, Hednesford

Jayman offer for sale this 3 Bed Detached property in Hednesford. The property briefly comprises, Entrance Hall, Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen, and a Family Bathroom. The property also benefits from Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Front/Rear Gardens. Energy Rating E

Price £155,000

John Street, Cannock

Jayman Estate Agents present this three bedroom detached property with lounge/diner, kitchen, en-suite and a family bathroom. The property also benefits from having a good size garden with inside/outside decking area perfect for entertaining. Energy Rating D

Price £150,000

Alnwick Close, Heath Hayes

Jayman Estate Agents offer for sale this three bedroom semi detached property briefly comprising, entrance hall, lounge, kitchen/diner, downstairs WC, study and a family bathroom, gas central heating and double glazing. Energy Rating C

Price £145,000

Hatherton Road, Cannock

Extended detached with porch, hall, WC, lounge, dining & sitting room, kitchen, utility, conservatory, master bedroom, dressing room & en suite, three further bedrooms, bathroom, double garage, front & rear gardens. Energy Rating D

Price £465,000

Park Road, Norton Canes

Jayman Estate Agents are delighted to offer for sale this two bedroom semi detached property briefly comprising; lounge, kitchen diner and a family bathroom,. The property also benefits from having a driveway and a rear garden. Awaiting EPC.

Price £125,000

Turf Close, Norton Canes

Jayman Estate Agents are delighted to offer for sale this Four bedroom detached property briefly comprising; lounge, dining room, kitchen, utility conservatory, bathroom, en suite, rear garden and a garage. Energy Rating E

Price £192,000

Howdles Lane, Brownhills

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£775 PCM

PARNELL AVENUE, LICHFIELD

Jayman Lettings & Property Management are pleased to present thisThree Bedroom Family Home. The accommodation comprises of; Lounge/Diner, Fitted Kitchen, Family Bathroom, En suite and Guest WC, Rear Garden, Off Road Parking, Garage, Deposit £1,100, EPC Rating B, Sorry No DSS, No Smokers and No Pets. AVAILABLE NOW.

£725 PCM

SUNRISE HILL, HEDNESFORD

50% OFF APPLICATION FEES
Jayman Lettings & Management are pleased to present this Three Bedroom Semi-Detached House. The accommodation comprises of; Entrance Hall, Kitchen, Utility Area, Ground Floor WC, Lounge/ Diner, Front and Rear Gardens and Driveway. EPC Rating D. Deposit £1,050.

£650 PCM

EATON HOUSE, LICHFIELD

Jayman Lettings & Property Management are pleased to present this Two Bedroom Top Floor Apartment. The accommodation comprises of; Two Bedrooms, Kitchen with Appliances, Bathroom, Double Glazing and Off Road Parking. EPC Rating D. Deposit £725.

£625 PCM

CLAY ST, PENKRIDGE

Jayman are pleased to offer for rent this two bedroom apartment with master bedroom with en-suite, parking, GCH, sorry no DSS, pets or smokers, available early November, awaiting EPC, deposit £695

£595 PCM

INGATHORPE ROAD, RUGELEY

Jayman Lettings & Property Management are proud to present this new build detached coach house, situated on Ingathorpe Road. The accommodation comprises of; entrance hall, lounge/diner, kitchen, two bedrooms, bathroom with shower, rear gardens. EPC Rating C.

£550 PCM

HIGH ROAD, WILLENHALL

Jayman Lettings & Property Management are pleased to present this Three Bedroom End Terrace Property, comprising of; Lounge, Fitted Kitchen, Bathroom, Rear Garden and Off Road Parking. EPC Rating C. Deposit £600.

£550 PCM

WINCHESTER CLOSE,

Jayman Lettings & Property Management are proud to present this two bedroom end terrace house, situated in Winchester Close, Handsacre. The accommodation comprises of lounge diner, kitchen, conservatory, two bedrooms, bathroom, rear garden and off road parking. Deposit £650.00. Sorry No DSS, no pets or smokers. EPC Rating D. Available early December.

£550 PCM

SANDPIPER CLOSE, CANNOCK

Jayman Lettings & Property Management are pleased to present this Two Bedroom Mid Terraced House. The accommodation comprises of; Lounge, Kitchen, Bathroom and Off Road Parking. EPC Rating D. Deposit £625.

£525 PCM

WATERSMEAD CLOSE,

Jayman Lettings & Property Management are pleased to present this Two Bedroom End Terraced House. The accommodation comprises of; Fitted Kitchen, Bathroom, Double Glazing, Gas Central Heating, Front & Rear Gardens and Off Road Parking. EPC Rating C . Deposit £625.

£525 PCM

MONKS VIEW, LONGDON

A one bedroom barn conversion situated near Rugeley. The accommodation comprises of lounge, fitted kitchen, one bedroom, bathroom and off road parking. Electric heating throughout. Sorry No DSS, No Pets and No Smokers. EPC Rating D. Deposit £775.00.

£525 PCM

BROMLEY CLOSE,

50% OFF APPLICATION FEES
Jayman Lettings & Property Management are pleased to present this Modern Three Bedroom Mid Terraced House. The accommodation comprises of; Entrance Hallway, Double Glazing, Rear Garden and Off Road Parking. EPC Rating C. Deposit £625.

£525 PCM

PARK STREET, WALSALL

50% OFF APPLICATION FEES
Jayman Lettings & Property Management are pleased to present this Two Bedroom House. The accommodation comprises of; Lounge/Diner with Feature Fireplace, Kitchen, Bathroom, Front & Rear Gardens with Patio Area. Awaiting EPC Rating. Deposit £900.

£500 PCM

CHORLEY ROAD, BURNTWOOD

Jayman Estate Agents are pleased to offer for rent this two double bedroom flat above the Ring O' Bells pub in Burntwood. The property has lounge, kitchen, off road parking, gas central heating and is offered unfurnished for 12 months. The property is available now, EPC rating C, deposit £750.

£495 PCM

BROCTON HOUSE, CHASETOWN

Jayman Lettings & Property Management are proud to present this two bedroom apartment, situated in Brocton Court, New Street, Chasetown. The accommodation comprises of lounge, fitted kitchen, two bedrooms, bathroom and allocated parking. Deposit £750.00. Sorry No DSS, no pets or smokers. EPC Rating C. Available end of October.

£475 PCM

ADAM COURT, SHOAL HILL

Jayman Lettings & Property Management are pleased to present this Two Bedroom Ground Floor Flat . The accommodation comprises of; Reception Communal Hall, Lounge, Kitchen, Bathroom, Off Road Parking At Rear and Communal Gardens. EPC Rating C. Deposit £550.

£450 PCM

EVESHAM CRESCENT, WALSALL

Jayman Lettings & Property Management are proud to present this two bedroom end terrace house, situated in Evesham Crescent, Walsall. Communal parking. Deposit £525.00. Sorry No DSS, no pets or smokers. EPC Rating D.

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NEW STREET, CHASETOWN

◆ End Terrace House ◆ Two double Bedrooms ◆ Lounge ◆ Dining room ◆ Kitchen with oven & hob ◆ Side lobby/Utility ◆ Shower Room(ground floor) ◆ Gas radiator central heating ◆ Sealed unit double glazing ◆ Corner plot with off road parking ◆ Freehold

£119,950

UNION STREET, CHASETOWN

◆ Freehold semi detached house ◆ Two bedrooms ◆ lounge with feature fireplace ◆ dining room with feature fireplace ◆ Fitted Kitchen ◆ Utility ◆ Ground floor Bathroom ◆ gas radiator central heating ◆ Sealed unit double glazing ◆ Enclosed rear garden ◆ EPC:D58

£112,500

LONGSTAFF AVENUE, PROSPECT VILLAGE

◆ Semi Detached House ◆ Three Bedrooms ◆ Through Lounge/Dining Room ◆ Kitchen ◆ Double Glazed Conservatory ◆ Landing ◆ Bathroom with Shower Cubicle ◆ Loft Room ◆ Sealed unit double glazing ◆ Gas radiator central heating ◆ Front garden with driveway parking ◆ Good size enclosed rear garden ◆ Freehold ◆ EPC:E48

£129,950

PINE TREE CLOSE, BURNTWOOD

◆ Beautifully Appointed Modern Ground Floor Apartment ◆ Two Bedrooms ◆ En-suite shower ◆ Lounge/Dining room ◆ Fitted Kitchen with Appliances ◆ Family Bathroom ◆ Intercom Entrance ◆ Sealed unit Double glazing ◆ Electric Heating ◆ Patio area ◆ Allocated Parking Space ◆ EPC:C73

£125,000

HIGH STREET, CHASE TERRACE

◆ Brand New Freehold Detached House ◆ Four Double Bedrooms ◆ En-Suite To Master Bedroom ◆Lounge With Feature Fireplace ◆ Luxury Siematic Kitchen With Neff Appliances ◆ Dining Area ◆ Utility ◆ Ground Floor W.C. ◆ Bathroom & En-Suite with Villeroy & Boch Sanitary Ware & Tiling ◆ Gas fired Under Floor Heating to ground floor and Radiators to first floor ◆ Sealed Unit Double Glazing ◆ Concrete Beam & Block First Floor ◆ Burglar Alarm System ◆ Garage With Electric Door ◆ N.H.B.C. Guarantee ◆ Secluded South Facing Rear Garden ◆ EPC:B82

325,000 Part Exchange Considered

WHITE BARK CLOSE, HEDNESFORD

◆ Ground Floor Flat ◆ One bedroom ◆ Lounge ◆ Kitchen ◆ Shower Room ◆ Sealed unit double glazing ◆ Electric storage heating ◆ Driveway Parking ◆ Enclosed Rear Garden ◆ EPC:D66

£64,950

CAVANS WOOD PARK, CANNOCK

● Spacious park home ● Two double bedrooms ● En-suite shower to bedroom 1 ● Lounge. ● Dining room ● Fitted kitchen with oven & hob ● Bathroom ● Sealed unit double glazing ● Gas radiator central heating ● Good size gardens ● Parking space for two cars ● EPC

£85,000

QUEEN STREET, CHASETOWN

◆ Freehold End Terrace ◆ Lounge ◆ Separate Dining Room ◆ Extended & Refitted Kitchen ◆ Utility/ Cloakroom ◆ Cellar ◆ Two Bedrooms ◆ Bathroom ◆ Sealed Unit Double Glazing ◆ Gas Radiator Central Heating ◆ Enclosed Rear Garden ◆ EPC:D56

£119,950

REDWOOD DRIVE, CHASE TERRACE,

◆ Extended End Town house ◆ Three Double Bedrooms ◆ En-Suite Shower Room to Bedroom 1 ◆ Lounge ◆ Large L'Shape Breakfast Kitchen/Diner with Appliances ◆ Bathroom ◆ Sealed unit Double Glazing ◆ Gas Radiator Central Heating ◆ Gardens to Front Side & Rear ◆ Garage ◆ Freehold ◆ EPC:D62

£158,500

ROCHESTER AVENUE, BURNTWOOD,

◆ Extended Link Detached House ◆ Four/Five Bedrooms ◆ Lounge with feature fireplace ◆ Dining room/bedroom 5 ◆ Breakfast Kitchen with oven & Hob ◆ Sitting Area ◆ Guest Cloakroom ◆ Shower room ◆ Gas radiator central heating ◆ Sealed Unit Double Glazing ◆ Front garden with driveway parking ◆ Enclosed Rear Garden ◆ EPC:D58

£177,950

RUGELEY ROAD, CHASE TERRACE

● Freehold Detached Bungalow ● Three Bedrooms ● Lounge/ Dining Room ● Refitted Kitchen ● Refitted Bathroom ● Bedroom Three ● Sealed unit double glazing ● Gas Radiator Central Heating ● Carport & Driveway Parking ● Enclosed Rear Garden ● EPC: E43

£184,950

NEW STREET, CHASETOWN

◆ New Build Detached House ◆ Freehold ◆ Three Bedrooms ◆ Through Lounge/Diner ◆ Kitchen ◆ Ground Floor Cloakroom ◆ Bathroom ◆ Sealed Unit Double Glazed ◆ Gas Central Heating ◆ Driveway Parking ◆ Enclosed Rear Garden

£219,950

SPRINGHILL ROAD, BURNTWOOD,

◆ Well presented & Extended Detached House ◆ Four Bedrooms ◆ En-suite Bathroom to bedroom 1 ◆ Spacious Hall & Landing ◆ Guest Cloakroom ◆ Lounge ◆ Separate Dining Room ◆ Breakfast Kitchen with Appliances ◆ Bathroom ◆ Sealed Unit Double Glazing ◆ Gas Radiator & Under Floor Heating ◆ Burglar alarm System ◆ Driveway Parking for Several cars ◆ Good Size Rear Garden with Large Patio Area ◆ Freehold ◆ EPC:awaited

£279,950

LINDEN AVENUE, CHASE TERRACE

◆ Detached Housed Situated on corner plot ◆ Three Bedrooms ◆ Lounge ◆ Kitchen Diner ◆ Three bedrooms ◆ Bathroom ◆ Garage ◆ Sealed Unit Double Glazing ◆ Gas Radiator Central Heating ◆ Driveway Parking ◆ Good Size Rear Garden ◆ Sorry No DSS, Smokers & Pets ◆ EPC:D59

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NEW

Fairmount Way, Etching Hill

- Well presented three bedroom semi detached
- Good location, must be viewed
- Hallway, lounge, kitchen/ diner, conservatory
- Three god size bedrooms, family bathroom
- Gardens, driveway and detached garage

£139,950 Guide Price

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NEW

Anson Street, Rugeley

- Superb traditional detached property
- Close to town centre and amenities
- Large rear gardens and plentiful parking
- Two reception rooms, three good size bedrooms
- Viewing essential. Offers Considered

£269,950

Hislop Road, Rugeley

NO CHAIN

- Lovely two bedroom detached bungalow
- Well presented interior and quality finish
- Two good size bedrooms, modern bathroom
- Lounge with patio doors, modern kitchen
- Low maintenance grounds with parking, No Chain

£125,000

4 BED

Brinkburn Close, Etching Hill

- Good sized family home in popular location
- Four good size bedrooms with large bathroom
- Two reception rooms, kitchen and utility
- End of cul de sac position, large garden
- Extensive driveway, must be viewed

£189,950

NO CHAIN

Chichester Close, Rugeley

- Spacious four bedroom detached home
- Private corner position with plentiful parking
- Two reception rooms, impressive modern kitchen
- Four good size bedrooms, three bathrooms
- Garage, gardens and NO CHAIN

£244,950

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- Executive four bedroom detached home
- Super location with open views to rear
- Internally there are three reception rooms
- Conservatory, breakfast Kitchen, four good size bedrooms
- Detached double garage, and open countryside to rear

£325,000

EXTENDED

Orchard Close, Rugeley

- Well presented three bedroom detached
- Enviable cul de sac location, must be viewed
- Large lounge, extended dining room, kitchen
- Three good size bedrooms, bathroom
- Gardens, carport, single garage, parking

£185,000 Guide Price

Tunnicliffe Drive, Rugeley

MUST BE VIEWED

- Three bedroom semi detached home
- Good location, must be viewed
- Lounge, dining room, kitchen, conservatory
- Three good size bedrooms, bathroom
- Gardens to front and rear

£120,000

NO CHAIN

Eaton Drive, Rugeley

- Unusual three bedroom end town house
- Spacious layout and well presented accommodation
- Three good size bedrooms, two bathrooms
- Breakfast Kitchen, large lounge/ Dining room
- Allocated parking, large garden, No Chain

£145,000 Guide Price

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Redbrook Lane, Brereton

- Lovely two bedroom terraced house
- Quirky layout, ideal FTB/ Investment purchase
- Two reception rooms, kitchen to rear
- Two bedrooms and shower room
- Good size rear garden, Superb Value

£89,950

Lockside View, Rugeley

- Good size three bedroom semi detached home
- Well presented throughout that must be viewed
- Two reception rooms, kitchen, three bedrooms
- Modern bathroom and guest wc
- Immaculate garden, garage and driveway

£140,000

Waverley Gardens, Etching Hill

- Detached two bedroom bungalow in prime location
- Superb views over countryside, good size garden
- Two good size bedrooms, bathroom, lounge
- Conservatory, kitchen, garage and carport
- No chain, all sensible offers considered

£185,000 Offers Considered

Antler Drive, Etching Hill

- Spacious three bedroom detached
- Elevated position with stunning garden
- Two reception rooms, kitchen
- Three bedrooms, bathroom
- Garage, gardens, No Chain

£189,950 Offers In Region Of

St Johns Drive, Rugeley

- Good size three bedroom detached home
- New development location overlooking park area
- Two reception rooms, breakfast kitchen
- Three large bedrooms, two bathrooms
- Gardens, garage and NO CHAIN

£189,950 Offers Considered

Greenfields Drive, Rugeley

- Spacious three/ four bedroom semi detached
- Good size extended accommodation, must be viewed
- Three first floor bedrooms, further ground floor bedroom
- Large lounge, conservatory, breakfast kitchen
- Gardens, driveway and No Chain

£156,000 Guide Price

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Hednesford Road, Rugeley

- Immaculate three bedroom town house
- Good location close to local amenities
- Hallway, lounge, dining kitchen, guest wc, conservatory
- Three good size bedrooms, modern bathroom
- Viewing essential, allocated parking and gardens

£164,950 Guide Price

Lower Birches Way, Rugeley

- Stunning four bedroom family home
- Presented to an exceptional standard
- Refitted kitchen, conservatory, two reception rooms
- Four good size bedrooms, three bathrooms
- Garage, parking, private gardens

£249,950 Guide Price

Armitage Road, Rugeley

- Traditional detached property
- Good location, corner plot with parking
- Two reception rooms, large kitchen
- Two/ Three bedrooms, bathroom
- Viewing essential, Offers considered

£179,950 Guide Price

Wattfield Close, Brereton

- Spacious and well presented detached bungalow
- Four good size bedrooms with main bathroom
- Hallway, open plan lounge and dining room
- Kitchen with living area and utility room
- Lovely gardens with plentiful parking

£209,950

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CHURCH VIEW, BRERETON, RUGELEY

- Mid Terraced Home
- Lounge
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
- Shower Room
- Private Rear Garden
- Sitting Tenant
- Ideal Investor Property

£85,000

BOW STREET, RUGELEY

- Mid Terraced Home
- Family Bathroom
- Part Double Glazed
- Ideal Investment
- Three Bedrooms
- Kitchen & Snug
- Gas Central Heating
- No Chain

£85,000

BOW STREET, RUGELEY

- Terraced Home
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Double Glazing
- Gas Central Heating
- Sitting Tenant

£85,000

BROOME WALK, RUGELEY

- Terraced Property
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Ideal Investment
- Sitting Tenant
- Viewing Advised

£85,000

NEWMAN GROVE, RUGELEY

- Semi-Detached
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Gardens Front & Rear
- Gas Central Heating
- Ideal Investment
- Sitting Tenant
- Viewing Advised

£110,000

FERNWOOD DRIVE, RUGELEY

- Detached Home
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Kitchen/Diner
- Family Bathroom
- Gardens To Front & Rear
- DG & GCH
- Sitting Tenant

£115,000

WATSON CLOSE, RUGELEY

- Semi-Detached
- Two Bedrooms
- Lounge/Diner
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Off Road Parking
- Gardens To Front & Rear
- Must Be Viewed

£118,000

PINE VIEW, RUGELEY

- Semi-Detached Home
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Gardens & Garage
- Needs Upgrading
- No Upward Chain

£120,000

JOSEPH DIX DRIVE, RUGELEY

- Link Detached Home
- Three Bedrooms
- Detached Garage
- Front, Side & Rear Garden
- Gas Central Heating
- Sitting Tenant
- Must Be Viewed
- No Chain

£123,000

FINCHES HILL, RUGELEY

- Detached Bungalow
- Two Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Freehold
- No Chain
- Sitting Tenant

£175,000

FINCHES HILL, RUGELEY

- Detached Bungalow
- Two Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- No Chain
- Freehold
- Sitting Tenant

£190,000

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- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge/Diner
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Utility Area
- Private Rear Garden
- GCH & DG
- No Upward Chain

£89,995

PEAR TREE COURT, RUGELEY

- Top Floor Apartment
- Two Bedrooms
- Open Plan Lounge/Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Allocated Parking
- No Upward Chain
- Ideal Investment
- Must Be Viewed

£92,500

ARCH STREET, RUGELEY

- Mid Terraced Property
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- DG & GCH
- Patio Style Rear Garden
- Ideal Starter Home

£120,000

DAYWELL RISE, RUGELEY

- Semi-Detached Home
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Diner/Kitchen
- Garage
- Private Gardens
- DG & GCH
- Early Viewing A Must

£124,950

EATON DRIVE, RUGELEY

- Mid Terraced House
- Two Bedrooms
- Ideal Rental Property
- Lounge Diner
- Guest WC
- GCH & DG
- Parking & Gardens
- No Upward Chain

£124,950

OAKLEIGH DRIVE, BRERETON, RUGELEY

- Split Level Home
- Two Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Private Garden
- Garage
- Cul-De-Sac Location

£125,000

SANDY LANE, RUGELEY

- Three Bedroom Home
- Kitchen & Utility
- Additional Toilet
- Gas Central Heating
- Two Reception Rooms
- Family Bathroom
- Garage & Off-Road Parking
- No Upward Chain

£134,000

ESSEX DRIVE, RUGELEY

- Semi-Detached Bungalow
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Large Garden
- No Upward Chain

£147,950

THE LINDENS, RUGELEY

- Semi Detached
- Four Bedrooms
- Garage & Driveway
- Private Garden
- Kitchen Diner
- En-Suite To Master
- Rear Lounge
- Viewing Recommended

£189,500

LEVETT GRANGE, RUGELEY

- Detached Family Home
- Four Bedrooms
- Large Lounge
- Breakfasting Kitchen
- Study Area
- Garage
- DG & GCH
- Must Be Viewed

£215,000

PENK DRIVE NORTH, RUGELEY

- Detached Home
- Four Bedrooms
- Lounge & Games Room
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Gardens To Front & Rear
- Etchinghill
- Must Be Viewed

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- Dg & Gch
- Must Be Viewed

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- Two Properties For Sale
- Three Bedroom House
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- To be Sold as Job Lot
- Freehold
- No Upward Chain
- Must be Viewed
- All Offers Invited

£315,000

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- Two Bathrooms
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LITTLEWORTH ROAD, HEDNESFORD

- Traditional Detached Family Home
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Five Bedrooms
- Re-Fitted Bathroom & Wet Room
- Ample Parking & Garage
- Large Gardens
- Beautiful Views to Rear

£284,950

LAKELAND COURT, HEDNESFORD

- Executive Barn Style Property
- Located Next to Cannock Chase
- Family Lounge
- Guest WC
- Modern Kitchen-Diner
- Three Bedrooms
- Modern Ensuite & Bathroom
- Parking & Garage

£249,950

BROOKLANDS AVENUE, GREAT WYRLEY

NEW

- A 4 Bed Detached House
- Deceptively Spacious
- L-Shaped Lounge Diner
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Laundry Room
- Shower & Bathroom
- Viewing Essential

£225,000

STREETS LANE, CHESLYN HAY

- Detached Bungalow
- Lounge Diner
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Re-Fitted Bathroom
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Garage
- Driveway

£219,950

ABBEY STREET, HEDNESFORD

NO CHAIN

- Individual Detached Family Home
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Utility & Guest WC
- Conservatory
- Three Bedrooms
- Study / Fourth Bedroom
- Ensuite, Garage & Driveway

£210,000 No Chain

QUAIL CLOSE, HEATH HAYES

NO CHAIN

- Modern Link Detached House
- Hall & Guest WC
- Lounge
- Kitchen-Diner
- Three Bedrooms
- Modern Ensuite & Bathroom
- Driveway & Garage
- Gardens

£180,000 No Chain

GREENHEATH ROAD, HEDNESFORD

- Deceptively Spacious
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Sitting Room
- Three Bedrooms
- En Suite & Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking

£164,950

NEWHALL STREET, CANNOCK

- Well Presented Semi
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Veranda & Utility
- Ground Floor Bathroom
- Three Bedrooms
- Garden

£139,950

EDEN CLOSE, HEATH HAYES

- Well Presented Link Detached
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Extended Kitchen
- Guest WC
- Three Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Driveway, Garage & Garden

£157,500

WALNUT DRIVE, CANNOCK

- Well Presented & Extended Semi
- Lounge
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- Three Bedrooms
- Re-Fitted Shower Room
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- Carport & Driveway
- Gardens

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- Very Well Presented
- Entrance Hall
- Lounge & Conservatory
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Two Double Bedrooms
- Re-Fitted Bathroom
- Driveway
- Gardens

£132,950

BRADBURY LANE, HEDNESFORD

NEW

Entrance Hall
Guest WC
Lounge-Diner
Re-Fitted Kitchen

Two Double Bedrooms
Re-Fitted Bathroom
GCH/DG
Gardens & Driveway

£115,000 No Chain

BANK STREET, HEATH HAYES

- Fully Re-Furbished
- Very Well Presented
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Re-Fitted Bathroom
- Two Double Bedrooms
- Rear Garden

£115,000 OIEO

MARINA CRESCENT, HEDNESFORD

NEW

- Spacious 2 Bed Semi
- Lounge Diner
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Re-Fitted Bathroom
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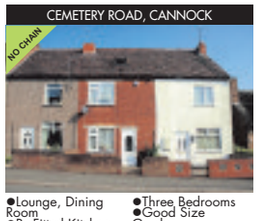

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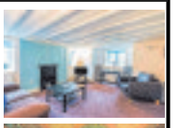

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Great Wyrley

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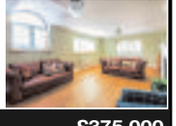

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•Dining Room
•Kitchen
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•Integral Garage & Off Road Parking
•NO UPWARD CHAIN!!

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•Garage & Off Road Parking
•Potential to Extend

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Wimblebury

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•Lounge/Diner
•Fitted Kitchen
•Conservatory

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Cannock

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•Two Bedrooms
•Living Room
•Bathroom
•Kitchen

Offers in excess of £120,000

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Stafford Road
Cannock

•Semi Detached
•Three Bedrooms
•Lounge
•Kitchen Diner
•Family Bathroom

£115,000

Mountside Street
Hednesford

•Semi Detached
•Three Bedrooms
•Lounge
•Dining Room
•Kitchen

£110,000

NEW

Fieldhouse Road
Hednesford

•Semi Detached
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•Lounge/Diner
•Kitchen
•Family Bathroom
•Front & Rear Gardens
•Gas Central Heating
•Double Glazing
•NO UPWARD CHAIN!!
•Local Amenities

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•Dining Room
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•Double Glazing (where specified)
•Gas Central Heating
•Desired Location

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Extra doors make latest Mini option for families

By Matt Joy

BMW hopes that by adding two extra doors to the recently launched third generation Mini, it will introduce the car to a wider audience.

At the risk of stating the obvious, the main focus here is the addition of two extra doors. Granted, the Countryman might also be a genuine five-door car, but Mini's take on this apparent duplication is that the Countryman is an SUV, albeit a small one, making it an unfair comparison.

So, what we have here is a slightly longer Mini hatch – all the better to accommodate rear seat occupants – boasting more cabin and boot space, plus the added flexibility to attract families and active types seeking a more practical Mini hatch.

You'll have to look closely to really spot the changes in the transition from three to five doors.

The extra length is modest (72mm between the wheels) and it does little to harm the look of this third-gen car's already expanded dimensions.

Inside this five-door model is the now familiar new-look Mini fascia, complete with oversize central display, tweaked minor controls, the inclusion of a BMW-style i-Drive controller and chunky steering wheel. The result is a car that retains the trademark BMW era Mini look, but also boasts a more mature, grown-up feel.

No question, this expanded Mini will be a welcome sight for anyone with a small family looking to remain faithful to the brand.

The car's rear doors aren't the largest and access could be more accommodating, but once inside there's reasonable legroom even for adults.

The car's boot also receives a welcome boost, as along with the flexible boot floor and additional storage, folding the rear seats liberates a decent amount of space.

Ethos

Despite the expanded dimensions of the five-door car, it remains loyal to the fun ethos of the three-door model. On the move, the extra length and weight barely registers, which means you can still throw the car around if so inclined.

At launch, the choice between Cooper S petrol and Cooper SD diesel means the difference between a feisty, rev-happy experience and a more relaxed but no less potent one, respectively.

Both 2.0-litre four-cylinder units, they can also be had with BMW's six-speed dual clutch transmissions if you don't fancy the extra workout associated with the manual shifters.

Factor in a switchable eco-normal-sport mode plus optional electronic sports damping and you don't need to sacrifice a thing in the pursuit of a performance Mini driving experience despite the car's increased focus on practicality.

The Mini is an unusual proposition in that it's often hard to make direct comparisons with so say rival cars. In basic trim the car benefits from a few options, although these can prove surprisingly good value.

Likewise engine choice, as BMW's efforts to reduce consumption and emissions have resulted in some seriously tax-friendly numbers.

Plus, spec your car well and you won't lose your shirt when it's time to sell it on.

Continuing the Mini's classless approach to motoring, company executives routinely state that there's no one definitive buyer profile.

That said, it's pretty obvious that the five-door hatch will likely appeal to buyers seeking a little more space for a growing family. And if you just want some added versatility this model is probably a smarter choice than the larger Countryman, especially if the whole SUV culture isn't your thing.

This car summed up in a single word is practical.

If this car was like moving house, it would be the step from starter home to family abode

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Supermini has all the right boxes ticked off

By Anthony Martyn

The Mazda2 may offer a slimmed-down range these days by that doesn't mean a slimmed-down dose of appeal. This is still one of the best small cars to drive, the range these days based around 1.3-litre petrol power, with the additional option of an automatic variant.

This car accounts for around a quarter of Mazda's UK sales volume, but it's been rather a forgotten model in recent times, despite the most recent styling changes and interior enhancements which offer a heightened sense of quality. Hence Mazda's addition of well specified 'Colour Edition' and 'Sport Colour Edition' variants early this year. These joined the high value Tamura models already on sale.

Under the bonnet, buyers will find an upgraded Euro 5-compliant powertrain line-up. Today's range is based around a 1.3-litre petrol unit, offered with either 75 or 84PS, plus there's also an automatic version if you want it.So does it zoom zoom? Well yes, up to a point. The high-mounted gear lever shifts neatly and the whole car feels handy and light on its feet. It never feels unstable and the steering's quick acting.

These days, only a five-door bodystyle is on offer, giving flexibility to parents who perhaps have young children and are looking for a small runabout. Those back doors certainly make wrestling Junior into the rear childseat a lot easier than would be the case if they were having to lean through in a three-door model. And there are ISOFIX fastenings for said seat. There are a trio of three-point rear seatbelts in the Mazda2, but five adults in the back is a bit ambitious, as is the case with all superminis. Two adults will be reasonably comfortable in the rear for short to medium-length journeys however and space for bigger passengers in the front isn't an issue. The Mazda2 is essentially par for the class in this respect.

The exterior styling looks classy and dynamic thanks to a package of aesthetic changes introduced in 2011. These included a smarter nose, revised front fog lamp bezels and more striking wheels. And, at that point, Mazda addressed criticisms of the previous generation car by paying particular attention to the look, feel and touch of the interior, reworked to reflect the outside upgrade. There's certainly a high quality feel about the cabin, with the plasticky bits in the original model replaced by a much classier redesigned instrument panel with 'blackout' finished dials and chrome rings, plus a centre stack in piano black. Other feel-good features include smart seat patterns and bright seat fabric colours.

Improved

Expect to pay somewhere in the £11,000 to £13,500 bracket for your Mazda2, now only offered with five doors. That's about par for the supermini course. There are cheaper rivals but also many more pricey ones. Mazda clearly hopes that this car's improved quality, zippier feel and high equipment levels will give it an advantage over obvious rivals like Ford's Fiesta, Vauxhall's Corsa, Renault's Clio and Peugeot's 208.

Superminis like this one are light years on from the days when floor mats were offered as optional extras. Whether you choose 1.3 or 1.5-litre petrol power, every Mazda2 comes with standard equipment that includes air conditioning, remote central locking, a Thatcham Category One alarm, electric front windows and door mirrors, plus a decent quality MP3-compatible CD stereo with auxiliary jack. Safety equipment across the range includes ABS, electronic brake force distribution and emergency brake assist.

Go for the Colour edition version (with the lower-powered 1.3-litre engine) and you also get 15-inch dark grey alloy wheels, privacy glass and Jet Black door mirror housings and rear spoiler. Inside there is black seat trim with red piping, a leather steering wheel with remote audio controls, gloss dark grey inserts to the steering wheel and audio panel, Parrot Bluetoothhandsfree and body-colour door trim and outer air vents louvres. The 'Sport Colour Edition' variant with the pokier 1.3-litre unit adds 16-inch dark grey alloy wheels, Sports styling kit, Sports headlamps and front fog lights. The cabin boasts a new state-of-the-art 6.1-inch Mazda Navigation System with integrated Bluetooth, a trip computer, leather gear knob, electric rear windows, two additional audio speakers and an adjustable speed alarm, plus side and curtain airbags.

Though there's no diesel now on offer, fuel economy from the two petrol units isn't too bad. Expect to see combined cycle fuel figures of 56.5mpg for the 1.3-litre models and 44.8mpg for the auto 1.5.

Insurance groupings (10E to 12E) are a little higher than rivals. Still, you can balance that against stronger residuals thanks to impressive build quality, reliability and durability. The evidence is simple – just try to buy a used Mazda2 and you will find owners very reluctant indeed to part with theirs. If you want to save money on your road tax, then bear in mind that the C-band rated 1.3 litre petrol models are zero-rated for the first year and then £30 a year after that. All models come with three year/60,000 mile warranty and three year European Roadside Assistance.

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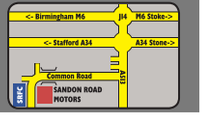

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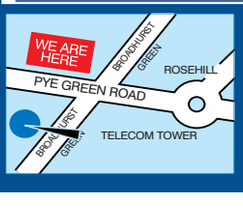

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Navara has substantial upgrades

By Sharon Walters

Nissan's versatile Navara pick-up is to benefit from a number of significant improvements for the 2015 model year.

The latest Navara, which is launched at the IAA Commercial Vehicle Show in Hannover this week has added safety features, new standard equipment across the range, an upgraded interior trim and new body colours.

Every model in the Navara range now has 17-inch alloy wheels and Vehicle Dynamic Control (VDC) as standard.

Two new metallic body colours - bronze and grey – have been introduced while new trim can be found on SE and LE versions, offering not only improved look and feel but also enhanced quality. The overall objective is to deliver enhanced value to the features, by improving customer benefits of up to €800.

Another significant introduction is the arrival of an SE model powered by a 144hp version of the familiar 2.5-litre dCi diesel engine.

This engine, first seen in the fleet-oriented XE version launched last year, offers an ideal compromise between performance and efficiency. Delivering 144hp, it produces 215g/km of CO2 emissions (7g/km improvement vs 190HP) while the combined fuel economy is 8.2l/100 kms.

SE equipment provides a number of enhancements over the XE model, with automatic air conditioning and a combined CD tuner with Bluetooth connectivity being the principal benefits.

Potent

Additional SE specs vs the XE model include side airbags, chrome front grille, cruise control with speed limiter and driver seat height adjustment. Other standard features are remote central locking, front fog lamps, side steps, rear headrests and heated door mirrors.

XE, SE and top LE versions are also all available with a 190hp version of the dCi engine, while the top of the range LE models – accounting for around 10 per cent of all Navara sales – are also available with the smooth and potent 231hp 3.0L V6 diesel which is coupled to Nissan's advanced seven-speed automatic gearbox.

LE versions have a raft of sophisticated equipment as standard including premium navigation, a reversing camera, roof rails, heated seats, cruise control, privacy glass, rain sensor and electrically folding door mirrors.

A Special Version of the LE V6 goes even further by adding leather/alcantara trim, 18-inch alloy wheels, chrome touches and a steel bar at the front for added protection.

In other respects, the MY15 Navara range continues as before to provide a mixture of comfort and style in a robust and hugely capable pick-up.

Its rugged ladder-frame chassis has independent front suspension by double wishbones and coil springs.

At the rear, there's a rigid axle and over slung leaf springs that provide excellent payload levels at the same time as giving the comfort, ride and handling expected from a SUV.

A part-time four-wheel drive system powers the rear wheels under normal conditions or splits the torque 50/50 between front and rear axles when 4WD mode is engaged.

High and low ratio modes mean outstanding levels of traction whether on or off road. A rear differential lock – which operates only in low ratio four-wheel drive - provides further help should a rear wheel lose traction on slippery surfaces. Control is via a rotary switch conveniently located on the centre console. "The provision of VDC across the entire Navara range is a important bonus for all Navara drivers, while the arrival of the new 144hp SE version will have significant appeal to fleet operators and owner/drivers alike," said Sebastien Viet, chief marketing manager Nissan LCV BU.

New Fabia from Skoda all set for 2015 launch

By James Parker

Škoda has announced prices and equipment specifications for the all-new, third-generation Fabia. And, just as the original Fabia did 14 years ago, the new model is set to redefine sector expectations for quality, efficiency and equipment. The 18-model Fabia range arrives in the UK in January and is offered in three trim levels: S, SE and Elegance, with prices starting from just £10,600 on-the-road.

Entry-level S models include six airbags, DAB digital radio, Bluetooth, Stop/Start and electric front windows as standard, while SE models (from £12,760 on-the-road add manual air-conditioning, alloy wheels, Front assist, Arkamys surround sound package and Bolero radio with telephone control, Mirror Link, USB and SD card connections.

SE models also include a three-spoke leather steering wheel, height adjustable driver and passenger seat and a Maxi-DOT trip computer. Range-topping Elegance models (from £13,610 on-the-road) add even more features including, 16-inch alloy wheels, climate control air-conditioning, Light assistant, cruise control and KESSY – keyless entry system.

In addition to its generous equipment levels, the new Fabia features a striking new look, sector-best practicality, greater efficiency and a host of Simply Clever innovations. Utilising advanced MQB platform architecture, the new Fabia performs the impossible by being larger and stronger than its best-selling predecessor, yet tipping the scales at up to 65kg less. This significant reduction, along with the introduction of cleaner EU6-compliant engines makes the new Fabia up to 17 per cent more efficient.

Perfect

The new Fabia also features a new personalisation programme that offers customers the chance to create their perfect car. The Colour Concept system allows owners to become designers, with 15 different body colours, and a number of wheel, roof and exterior mirror colour options. Buyers will also be able to choose from three interior trim styles.

In terms of space and practicality, the new Fabia's interior is longer and larger than in the outgoing model, with all occupants also enjoying increased headroom.

Although the new model is 8 mm shorter than its predecessor, its interior length has increased by around 8 mm to 1,674 mm.

Elbow room is also greater at 1,401 mm (21 mm wider) at the front and 1,386 mm (2 mm wider) at the rear.

The boot is the largest within the car's segment. The boot has a capacity of 330 litres (15 litres more than the outgoing model) and is considerably bigger than comparable competitors' models. With the rear seats folded down, the load capacity increases to 1,150 litres.

Škoda brand director Alasdair Stewart said: We're delighted to be announcing final details of our Fabia range as the car makes its public debut.

"The Fabia enjoys a loyal following in the UK and it has been our most popular model with buyers. I'm confident that the new car with its reduced running costs and high equipment levels will continue to be in-demand with new and existing customers alike."

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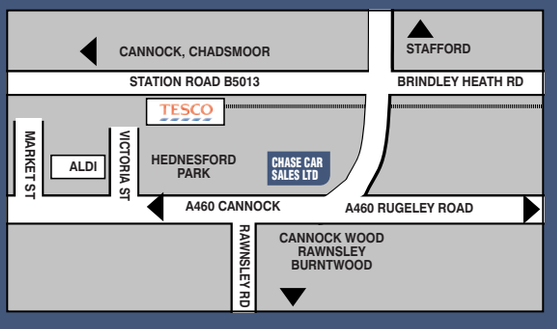

Sportback hot enough to sunburn petrolheads

By John Griffiths

Some years ago Audi wowed petrolheads by launching a big family estate, of all things, with the sort of performance and handling that made supercar manufacturers looks up and take notice.

Since that original RS6, the company's RS – for Renn Sport or sporting racing – range has grown and matured, offering ballistic performance in a variety of body styles.

Now there's the new RS7, which shares the same turbo-charged V8 powerplant as the current RS6 estate but in a slippier Sportback body style.

The look is of a high performance coupe, but strictly speaking it doesn't fall into that category because it has four doors. There are clues to its potential, of course, such as the big front air intakes, oversized alloys (21 inches on the test car, 20 inch are standard) and extra aerodynamic touches.

But it's still a bit of a 'Q car' because they don't tell you that this car's twin turbo, eight cylinder, four litre engine has a whopping 560Ps (552bhp) of power and no less than 700Nm of torque.

Not surprising then that it is capable of tackling the 0 to 62mph sprint in under four seconds, and – depending on your chosen options (and the size of your wallet) a potential top speed ranging from 155 to 189mph.

That puts it within a gasp of the iconic R8, and while it doesn't have the same jaw-dropping supercar looks it does have four seats and a family sized boot, making it appeal to a different type of buyer.

The basic price is £82,010, but if you want to reach the holy grail of performance or simply give it even more sporting looks you can do that at a price.

The 'dynamic plus package' for example replaces the standard air suspension with conventional dampers and steel springs plus a hydraulic system to reduce pitch and roll. You also get superb carbon-ceramic brakes and uprated steering. It means the limited top speed goes up to the maximum 189 if you want to spend £10,725.

The carbon styling package which includes, among other things, sprucing up the huge air intake ducts with the panels stamped with 'quattro' badges, is £4,250.

Rather surprisingly the sports exhaust is an 'extra', too, at £1,000 but you really would miss it. The deep growl of the V8 under acceleration, or when the eight-speed auto box changes up or down, is like a musical accompaniment.

Intimidating

The potential of this car is awesome, even perhaps a little intimidating to some, but there's lots of Audi's vorsprung durch technik which tames the beast and turns it into a well-trained thoroughbred.

Some drivers who see themselves as purists like the feel of rear wheel drive in a powerful car, but others are not so sure in wintry weather and prefer the reassurance of a system like Audi's legendary Quattro all-wheel drive for added grip to put the power down safely.

It channels power to all four wheels using torque vectoring and an electronically controlled limited slip differential, making adjustments in milliseconds to give you the best possible traction in any conditions.

The car has Audi's 'drive select' system with comfort, auto and dynamic settings which adjust the responses of the transmission, suspension, steering and even the exhaust note according to conditions and your preferences. It means, for example, that the car is more relaxing, more civilised, to drive in traffic than high performance cars once were.

In 'comfort' mode in particular the RS7 is cossetting to drive or ride in, and smoothes out the surfaces of some our typically British 'b' roads in a way which would have been unthinkable in a performance car, or even a hot hatch, just a few years ago.

The steering is taut and positive whichever mode you're in, but it's impossible to say too much about the car's handling: the only way to fully explore that would be on track.

The engine has a neat trick too. When the engine isn't under load it shuts down four of the eight cylinders to save fuel. That means potential economy of almost 29mpg, impressive for a car in this class, and CO2 emissions of 229g/km.

All those 700 Newtonmetres of torque are on hand at just 1,750rpm. Combined with the rapidly reacting eight speed transmission it means that for most of the time the rev counter is showing around 1,500rpm – but a touch on the throttle means virtually instantly, eye-popping acceleration.

The RS7, apart from its unique styling touches, comes with home comforts such as heated, electrically adjustable sports seats, a comprehensive media system, SatNav, a premium 14-speaker stereo, parking sensors, sunroof and four-zone climate control.

But a particularly useful feature in a car like this is the jet fighter style head-up display, which projects your current speed onto the windscreen in front of the driver's eyes – a genuine boon to keeping you safe and legal.

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Extra doors make latest Mini option for families

By Matt Joy

BMW hopes that by adding two extra doors to the recently launched third generation Mini, it will introduce the car to a wider audience.

At the risk of stating the obvious, the main focus here is the addition of two extra doors. Granted, the Countryman might also be a genuine five-door car, but Mini's take on this apparent duplication is that the Countryman is an SUV, albeit a small one, making it an unfair comparison.

So, what we have here is a slightly longer Mini hatch – all the better to accommodate rear seat occupants – boasting more cabin and boot space, plus the added flexibility to attract families and active types seeking a more practical Mini hatch.

You'll have to look closely to really spot the changes in the transition from three to five doors. The extra length is modest (72mm between the wheels) and it does little to harm the look of this third-gen car's already expanded dimensions.

Inside this five-door model is the now familiar new-look Mini fascia, complete with oversize central display, tweaked minor controls, the inclusion of a BMW-style i-Drive controller and chunky steering wheel. The result is a car that retains the trademark BMW era Mini look, but also boasts a more mature, grown-up feel.

No question, this expanded Mini will be a welcome sight for anyone with a small family looking to remain faithful to the brand. The car's rear doors aren't the largest and access could be more accommodating, but once inside there's reasonable legroom even for adults.

The car's boot also receives a welcome boost, as along with the flexible boot floor and additional storage, folding the rear seats liberates a decent amount of space.

Despite the expanded dimensions of the five-door car, it remains loyal to the fun ethos of the three-door model. On the move, the extra length and weight barely registers, which means you can still throw the car around if so inclined.

At launch, the choice between Cooper S petrol and Cooper SD diesel means the difference between a feisty, rev-happy experience and a more relaxed but no less potent one, respectively.

Both 2.0-litre four-cylinder units, they can also be had with BMW's six-speed dual clutch transmissions if you don't fancy the extra workout associated with the manual shifters.

Factor in a switchable eco-normal-sport mode plus optional electronic sports damping and you don't need to sacrifice a thing in the pursuit of a performance Mini driving experience despite the car's increased focus on practicality.

The Mini is an unusual proposition in that it's often hard to make direct comparisons with so say rival cars. In basic trim the car benefits from a few options, although these can prove surprisingly good value.

Likewise engine choice, as BMW's efforts to reduce consumption and emissions have resulted in some seriously tax-friendly numbers. Plus, spec your car well and you won't lose your shirt when it's time to sell it on.

Continuing the Mini's classless approach to motoring, company executives routinely state that there's no one definitive buyer profile.

That said, it's pretty obvious that the five-door hatch will likely appeal to buyers seeking a little more space for a growing family. And if you just want some added versatility this model is probably a smarter choice than the larger Countryman, especially if the whole SUV culture isn't your thing.

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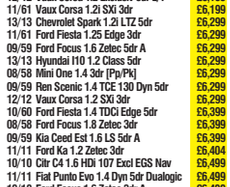

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Motoring briefing

● The Mitsubishi Shogun range has a bold new front end styling, as model year 2015 goes on sale, distinguished by a deeper more integrated grille and smart LED daytime running lights. The styling changes represent a progressive evolution of Mitsubishi's tough and authentic off-roader. It retains its go-anywhere bold and muscular presence, characterised by its short front overhang, upright windscreen, strong high flanks, flared wheel-arches and rear-mounted spare wheel – all key Shogun styling cues that underline off-road ability.

● The popularity of the original i20 has made it one of the company's best-selling cars in the region. The key aims of the new model are to open Hyundai Motor Europe to an even wider audience. The New Generation i20 has been designed and developed in Europe, and three key attributes in particular underline how it meets the needs of European consumers: class-leading interior space, high-technology and comfort-enhancing features, and clean, refined design.

It made its debut at the 2014 Paris Motor Show earlier this month and also entered production. It will go on sale throughout Europe from next month.

● After more than 25 years after the original model's debut, the Vitara heritage is embodied in a fresh sport utility vehicle incarnation.

The all-new Suzuki Vitara has smaller dimensions to meet contemporary needs.

It incorporates Suzuki's cutting-edge ALLGRIP four wheel drive system and advanced safety and connectivity equipment, it also enables owners to express themselves through various personalising options. The new Vitara will go into production at the Magyar Suzuki plant in Hungary in early 2015, and will then make its market debut across Europe. It will later be exported around the world as Suzuki's global compact SUV.

● French budget car maker Dacia has introduced a new special edition to its line-up – the Sandero Midnight. The car builds on the existing top-of-the-range Laureate version specification by adding a host of exclusive extras. These include 15-inch alloy wheels, an exclusive Slate Grey metallic paint finish and a gloss black exterior trim on the door mirrors and B-pillar. Inside, the car continues the dark theme with gloss black trim and a high level of standard equipment Available to order now priced from £9,345.

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It was Kathleen's wish that no one wear black and if people want to send flowers then only single roses.

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Tom

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Dad will be sadly missed by Family and Friends.

The Funeral will be held at St. Lukes Church, Cannock, followed by a burial, where he will join his beloved Wife Mary, in Cannock Cemetery.

Funeral Inquiries to A.J. Sellman.

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EDWARDS
Nigel

Sadly passed away on Thursday, October 9, 2014.

Much loved and missed by his Family and Friends, and all who knew him.

The Funeral Service will take place on Wednesday, October 22, at St. Luke's Church, Cannock, at 11.30am.

Donations, if preferred, for the Manor Hospital, c/o

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FORRESTER
Alan

Of Hednesford, former Steward of Prairie Farm Club, passed away October 10, 2014, aged 88 years.

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Funeral Service will take place at Stafford Crematorium, on Thursday, October 23, at 1pm.

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HAYNES
Eileen

Of Hednesford.

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Funeral Service will take place at Stafford Crematorium on Monday, October 20, at 2pm.

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JONES
Terence

Passed away peacefully on October 4, 2014, aged 81 years.

The Funeral Service will take place at St Peter's Church, Hednesford, on Friday, October 17, 2014, at 12 noon, followed by Committal at Stafford Crematorium at 1pm.

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McMULLAN
James

Reunited with Wife Mary.

Passed away at home on October 4, 2014, aged 80 years.

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PLANT
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His Funeral Service will take place on Tuesday, October 21, at 2pm, at Stafford Crematorium.

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WHITE
Beatrice May

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Love you always Eileen.

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Of Great Wyrley.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Secretary of State for Transport intends to make an Order on the A5 Trunk Road, between Longford and Churchbridge, near Cannock in the County of Staffordshire, to allow resurfacing and associated works to be carried out.

The effect of the Order will be to –

1. impose a 30 miles per hour speed restriction on the eastbound and westbound carriageways of the A5 between the roundabout junction with the A4601 Wolverhampton Road (Longford Island) and the roundabout junction with the A460 and A34 Walsall Road (Churchbridge Roundabout); and
2. prohibit vehicles from entering or proceeding in the laybys adjacent to –
   a. the westbound carriageway of the A5 situated 445 metres east of the centrepoint of Longford Island; and
   b. the eastbound carriageway of the A5 situated 535 metres east of the centrepoint of Longford Island.

The work will be carried out between 09:00 hours and 16:00 hours and overnight between 20:00 hours and 06:00 hours and is expected to start on Monday 10 November 2014 and continue for approximately twelve weeks. The layby closures will be in operation for 24 hours per day for the duration of the works. The Order will come into force on Monday 3 November 2014.

Vehicles being used by special forces will be exempt from the speed restriction. Vehicles being used by the emergency services will be exempt from the speed restriction and prohibition and vehicles being used in connection with the works will be exempt from the prohibition.

For further information, please contact Purnima Kaul on 0121 687 8586.

Mike Lloyd, a Higher Executive Officer in the Highways Agency.

Staffordshire County Council

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT, 1984

PROPOSED 20 MPH SPEED LIMIT
TALBOT ROAD, SETTERFIELD WAY, CHERRY TREE ROAD, RUGELEY

1. Staffordshire County Council propose to make a Traffic Order under Section 84 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, to impose a 20 mph zonal speed limit on the following lengths of roads:-

   Talbot Road, Rugeley – at a point approximately 15 metres west of the junction with Redbrook Lane in a westerly direction for a distance of approximately 160 metres.

   Setterfield Way, Rugeley – from its junction with Talbot Road in a westerly direction for approximately 15 metres.

   Cherry Tree Road, Rugeley – from its junction with Talbot Road in a south-westerly direction for approximately 30 metres.
2. This Order will be called the Staffordshire County Council (20 mph zonal speed limit) (Talbot Road, Setterfield Way, Cherry Tree Road, Rugeley) Order 20**.
3. Full details of these proposals are in the draft Order which, together with a map showing the restricted area and a statement of the County Council's reasons for proposing to make the Order, may be inspected during normal office hours at the office of the Deputy Chief Executive & Director for Place; and during normal opening hours at Rugeley Library, Anson Street, Rugeley or via the internet at www.staffordshire.gov.uk/trafficregulationorders.
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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

THE STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (CANNOCK CHASE) (CIVIL ENFORCEMENT OF PARKING) (PROHIBITION AND RESTRICTION OF WAITING AND LOADING AND PARKING PLACES) (CONVERSION) ORDER 2009 (AMENDMENT) NO. 20/2014

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   (a) prevents you from parking your vehicle for more than 1 hour, with no return within 1 hour, on Monday to Saturday inclusive between the hours of 8am and 6pm on the following lengths of:
   A460 Horse Fair, Rugeley – (southbound carriageway) west side starting from a point approximately 50 metres south of The Globe Island (junction of A460 Western Springs Road, B5013 Elmore Lane and A460 Sandy Lane) in a southerly direction for a distance of approximately 28 metres.
   A460 Horse Fair, Rugeley – (southbound carriageway) east side starting from a point approximately 52 metres north of the centreline of St. Paul's Road in a northerly direction for a distance of approximately 51 metres.
   A460 Horse Fair, Rugeley – (southbound carriageway) west side starting from a point approximately 34 metres north of the centreline of St. Paul's Road in a northerly direction for a distance of approximately 25 metres.
   A460 Horse Fair, Rugeley – (northbound carriageway) east side from a point approximately 68 metres north of the centreline of St. Paul's Road in a northerly direction for a distance of approximately 27 metres.
   A460 Horse Fair, Rugeley – (southbound carriageway) west side starting from a point approximately 58 metres south of the centreline of St. Paul's Road in a southerly direction for a distance of approximately 27 metres.
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3. This Order amends the Staffordshire County Council (Cannock Chase) (Civil Enforcement of Parking) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading and Parking Places) (Conversion) Order 2009.
4. This Order is called the Staffordshire County Council (Cannock Chase) (Civil Enforcement of Parking) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading and Parking Places) (Conversion) Order 2009 (Amendment) No. 20/2014.
5. This Order amends the Plans marked BU 210, BU 211 and BV 211 incorporating waiting restrictions on those roads specified in Article No. 1 above and which form part of the Staffordshire County Council (Cannock Chase) (Civil Enforcement of Parking) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading and Parking Places) (Conversion) Order 2009 and in substitution thereof.
6. Full details of the Order, together with maps showing the roads involved, may be examined during normal office hours at the office of the Deputy Chief Executive & Director for Place;1 Staffordshire Place, Tipping Street, Stafford, ST16 2LP and during normal opening hours at Rugeley Library, Anson Street, Rugeley, Staffordshire or via the internet at www.staffordshire.gov.uk/trafficregulationorders.
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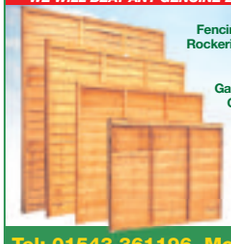

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Rangers shutout Social with four goals

Aero Taxis Cup Round 1

CANNOCK Rangers easily knocked out Cannock Social 4-0. Alex Millington's penalty got Rangers off to a flyer before Danny Jones took over the limelight by scoring a hat-trick to put the holders through to round two.

Pied Piper knocked out Darlaston Green 4-1 with Ade Chamberlin, Sam Ironmonger, Reece Hardware and Daryl Marshall all getting on the scoresheet.

Division One

Colliers Arms climb to third after beating Crystal Fountain 5-0. Wyrley Juniors won their first game of the season beating Lea Hall 4-1.

Football

Division Two

Leaders King George's beat the Hen House 3-1 thanks to goals from Aaron Muffet, Ash Thomas and Scott Harvey.

Jubilee put six past Trafalgar. Man of the Match Anton McGee scored followed by Mike Barham, Rob Meacham, Ash Bentley and two goals from Jason Pilkington.

AFC Social had to thank their Man of the Match goalkeeper Copeland for three outstanding saves to snatch a point against Hawkins Inex with a 0-0 draw.

Hawkins, with no subs, lost a player through injury after just 15 minutes and played the rest of the match with 10 men but just couldn't get passed the Socials keeper

Cheslyn Hay fought back from two goals down to bounce back and beat Bow Street 3-2. Chris Nichols scored a peach of a free kick and Man of the Match Craig Cloughier banged in two goals the last of which was the winner after dancing around two players before rounding the keeper to bag all the three points.

Division Three

Green Heath leap frog White Lion to go top after beating them 4-2. Man of the Match Michael Griffiths scored two goals with a goal each for Aaron Evans and Liam Jones to inflict a first defeat on the Lion and still remain unbeaten for the Green Heath.

The Castle produced a great all round team performance to beat the Bridge 3-1. Mike Lee bagged two goals with a goal from Scott Brown. Both Luke Allen and Keith Lewis won the Man of the Match awards.

Solders climb to second after thrashing Romping Cat 10-1. Andy McMath scored four goals,

Close fought battle is taken by Cannock

Cannock 1sts 22 Barton 1sts 20

CANNOCK secured all five points but allowed Barton to take a point back to the village after a close fought battle at the Morgan ground.

Early exchanges saw Barton exert pressure on the home team, hard work at the break down was rewarded with possession but the Cannock defence was up to the task.

The stats started to swing in Cannock's favour and they began to become comfortable in possession, however a spilt ball in centre field gifted Barton possession, they worked hands through the backs and scored under the posts, converted for a 0-7 lead.

As Cannock continued to come out on top in the tight exchanges they were able to spend time in the away team's 22.

A catch and drive from a line out allowed skipper-Freeman to dot down, unconverted. Cannock's clean work at the breakdowns induced infringements from the visitors but two penalties went unconverted by the usually clinical Jordan Pincombe.

The half ended with Cannock again gifting possession from very little pressure, a cynical infringement was spotted, by an in-form ref, and the penalty was duly converted, 5-10 at half time.

Good line-out work allowed Cannock to build phases, great work out wide from Josh Humphries and Dan Mayle provided Pincombe with good ball, rewarding a great support line, try in the corner.

Rugby

A period of tight interchanges in midfield followed, both teams sending strong runners and both teams defending well, the likes of Sonny Stanaway, Joe Brookes and Mike Forrester making dents in the defensive line.

The third try was scored by Mayle, good support work and varied running lines put the winger in space and he showed great strength to beat tackles and dot down under the posts.

From the restart Cannock put in a good return kick, chased hard and turned possession, the injured Will Jukes was the man to claim the bonus point try, good handling along the back line put him in space and he showed good composure to score in the corner.

With three minutes on the clock. A sloppy penalty allowed Barton a quick ball and Shummy, scored in the corner, with one minute left.

Cannock won 22-20 with a five point win that places them second in the league after round four. Man of the match was Brad Stanaway.

Lichfield 29
Cannock 2nds 31

No scores as the Scholars waste chances

Nathan Waite slips the ball under the goalkeeper but the game remained scoreless

Brigg Town 0 Chasetown 0

CHASETOWN failed to breach a Brigg Town defence that had leaked 24 goals in their last six Evo-Stik First Division South games.

The home side, who shipped 10 goals to Gresley a month ago and seven to Kidsgrove just nine days ago, will be the happier of the two to have played out a goalless stalemate after the Scholars had the majority of the better chances.

Early on, Chasetown dominated the possession and it seemed likely that they would find the breakthrough. The best chance fell to Nick Wellecomme who drove goalwards and a defender's arm, close to his body, took the sting out of a shot and keeper Jody Barford was able to keep out the rebounded shot.

Against the run of play, in a first half of few chances, Daniel Kingsley Jr forced a save from John Bateman with a well- struck shot from wide of the penalty area after a burst of pace got him clear down the inside-left .

The final chance of the first half for Craig Harris' men came when Wellecomme broke clear and was one-on-one with keeper Barford but elected to go for the low shot and Barford had got down early to save.

At the start of the second half, Wellecomme tried to dink the ball over Barford, but the keeper won.

Tactics in scrum help Staffs side win

Rugeley 2nds 12
Stafford 3rds 38

STAFFORD found the home pack too much to handle and after only nine minutes opted to go for uncontested scrums, from this point Rugeley's game took a completely different course.

Although 15 minutes into the game Steven Bailey was able to break through the Stafford defence and score a try. After an onslaught from the visitors they were able to sneak a try.

Stafford were able to play the quick ball resulting in a try with only three minutes left in the second period.

The score standing at 5-12 and 17 minutes on the clock, Stafford broke through the home defence and score once again.

Rugeley came right back at the visitors with some great set play from prop Sirianni and centre Bailey resulting in a great try from Johnson, with the conversion from Tom Downes.

The home side were unable to hold the visitors with a try right under the posts for Stafford .

The visitors were not in the mood for stopping and with the last kick of the game Stafford increased their score to 12 – 38.

Busy time for boxing club's fighters

THE busy start to the season continued for Great Wyrley ABC as three of its boxers were in action on consecutive nights last week.

On Thursday October 9 at Bescot Stadium, Walsall, Mitch Roberts made it three wins out of three over Jack Melvin of Nechelles ABC in a Lightweight contest.

Ryan Mansell, at a career lightest weight, 78kg, produced probably the performance of his career when he outpointed the very strong Luke Ekubia (Amphion ABC).

Ekubia made a strong start but was met ring centre by Mansell's jarring jab which knocked his head back time and time again. Ryan, who started his career at Super Heavyweight, a unanimous point's winner .

OnOctober 10 GWABC made the journey to Ludlow Racecourse where 14 year old Ollie Cooper was hoping to get back to winning ways against Conor Ball of Brooklands ABC. Cooper started the sharper and his jab combined with his fast footwork made Ball look pedestrian at times.

Ollie tired in the last as Ball never stopped attacking but ran out a unanimous point's win .

Own goal unpicks Lockmen

WILLENHALL 0 Haughmond 1

A moment's lapse in concentration saw Willenhall beaten 1-0 in their first-ever meeting with Haughmond in the West Midlands Premier Division.

The visitors had an early 'goal' ruled out for pushing. Damian Charie was first to threaten for Willenhall but his effort lacked power. On 64 minutes the Lockmen defence left a ball that appeared to be going out, and when it was hooked back across goal, Graham Ashton got into a tangle attempting to clear under pressure and succeeded only in helping it into his own goal.

Willenhall sub Tony Clift went close twice near the end, firing just over but the

NFL deal could see road games

ENGLAND matches could be taken around the country again from 2018 if the Football Association secures an NFL franchise.

The FA has made winning an American football franchise to be based at Wembley a priority and it is understood that would open the way to holding a few England games away from the national stadium.

During the construction of the new Wembley, England matches were held in packed stadiums in different parts of the country including Villa Park, Old Trafford, The Stadium of Light and St James' Park.

The FA agreed a deal to play all England games at Wembley until 2017 with some flexibility.

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A slow start up ends in a draw

Cannock Ladies 1sts 2
Ben Rhydding 1sts 2

CANNOCK welcomed Ben Rhydding who had made the trip down from Ilkley in last Saturday's Investec Women's Hockey League Conference North clash.

Cannock began slowly and paid the price as the visitors asserted their superiority with an 11th minute penalty corner goal.

A second goal followed quickly as the visitors were awarded a penalty stroke. A baptism of fire for young keeper Liz Mahon making her national league début who kept here composure to turn in a good performance.

Following their early setback, Cannock worked their way back into the game and began to put the visitors under real pressure.

Player of the Match, Lucy Spencer scored from a penalty corner before the break and Amy Booth levelled the score early in the second half.

Cannock then had the better of play and Ben Rhydding's discipline slipped as 2 players received temporary suspensions. Cannock's other national league débutante, Mary Clark, almost yielded a goal.

Danny Glover – Pitmen's lethal weapon

Hednesford 4 Hyde1

Football

DANNY Glover bagged the first hat-trick of his Hednesford career as the Pitmen brushed aside bottom of the league Hyde at Keys Park, writes Chris Brewerton.

Manager Rob Smith had demanded such a performance following the frustrating defeat against Colwyn Bay in the Conference North.

Inconsistency has been the real problem for Hednesford so far this season but despite Hyde playing with admirable heart and commitment, the home side always looked likely to record a timely home win after Glover scored the opening goal with a wonderful free-kick after just four minutes.

Hyde did fashion an opportunity to get right back into the game shortly after the goal when Tom Bentham outpaced Chris Westwood and found himself clean through, but a heavy touch gave keeper Dan Crane the chance to come out and collect.

Hednesford's second goal duly came on 31 minutes when Paul Sullivan's perfectly weighted header back across goal found Glover whose low shot found the net off the far left upright.

Connor Hughes struck the post for Hyde shortly after the second goal and Crane had to be alert in smothering the ball from Steve Tames as the striker advanced into the penalty area from the left wing.

Alert

But the Keys Park faithful could relax after Westwood bundled in a third goal in 55 minutes after questionable goalkeeping from Billy O'Brien had presented the defender with a tap in from a yard out.

Glover had the opportunity to secure his hat-trick but desperate defending on the line prevented his left-foot shot from finding the net.

He was not to be denied, however, as he confidently found the net from the spot in the 68th minute after being brought down by Alex McQuade.

Hyde managed a consolation goal at the end when Darren Campion was adjudged to have used more than his shoulder in a coming together with Reece Gray in stoppage time. Hughes converted the penalty. The Pitmen move up to eighth.

Jackett could get a double boost

WOLVES are set for a double injury boost as they focus on their trip to Millwall after the imposed rest due to international action.

Boss Kenny Jackett has confirmed that Lee Evans, who had hamstring problems and Nouha Dicko, who was suffering with his Achilles, will train as Wolves prepare for their clash at the New Den.

Evans missed out on the chance of a first full cap for Wales with the tight hamstring that also forced him out of the recent 2-2 draw against Wigan.

And Dicko suffered discomfort in his Achilles and will use the rest of the international break to try to be fit.

"We're hoping they will both be training at some stage," said Wolves' boss Jackett.

"We would estimate the middle of this week at best for the pair of them," added Jackett.

Meanwhile, Eusebio Bancessi is to join Cheltenham Town on a 28-day youth loan.

"We know Cheltenham's manager Mark Yates well.

"They have been watching Eusebio throughout the season," said head of football development Kevin Thelwell."

Burntwood move into second spot with win

Burntwood 34 Bloxwich 12

BURNTWOOD moved up to second place in the table with their third bonus point win in three fixtures plus having a game in hand over the teams around them.

This contest provided some quality tries but also four red cards – two for each side – as moments of indiscipline proved costly particularly in the second half.

Rugby

Bloxwich got the try they deserved after 10 minutes and, no surprise, it originated from a line out.

They stole the Burntwood throw in but this time fed the backs. The inside centre cut back across the cover defence to stretch over near the left corner.

Bloxwich remained on top for much of the half, the hosts having to show strong defence against a prolonged spell of close range drives for their line.

It was not until the 37th minute that Burntwood ventured into the opposition 22 via a burst from Luke Rookyard.

His pass went forward but his side were able to retain field position. Another run by the same player produced a penalty which Will Peach kicked for 3-5.

Against the run of play Burntwood found themselves 10-5 up at the break. A lengthy spell of injury time worked to their advantage when they took the ball at a scrum from a Bloxwich feed. Ben Holt made a penetrating run and fed Aza Dunet who fended off two tacklers down the left touchline for a try converted by Peach.

It took Burntwood just two minutes of the second period to add to their lead. They ran a defensive kick back at the visitors, went through a couple of phases and Holt burst through the centre to cross under the posts unopposed. Peach converted.

Hal Gozukucuk was yellow carded at the restart for tackling a player in the air. During his absence the visitors reduced the arrears in familiar style. They won a line out in the right corner, worked the ball to the inside centre and he cut back across field again for his second try. A fine conversion made it 17-12 and game on.

From a solid scrum the backs were able to run onto the ball at pace with Brett Taylor feeding Rob Jones for a score in the right corner. Converted by Peach.

Burntwood went further ahead on 68 minutes following another good attack. Rob Jones cut in from the right on a diagonal run to earn a penalty which Peach kicked for 27-12.

A prolonged period of added time gave the hosts the opportunity to go for a bonus point try .

Luke Rookyard on the run during the game against Bloxwich

Unbeaten thirds still top of table

Cannock Ladies 2nds 1
Shrewsbury Ladies 1sts 0

MARY Clarke scored and Cannock hung on against newly-promoted opponents.

Stafford Ladies 1
Cannock Ladies 3rds 1

WITH both sides aiming for promotion this was an excellent game.

Stafford opened the scoring but Hannah Coles levelled as leaders Cannock remain unbeaten.

Tamworth Ladies 2nds 5
Cannock Ladies 4ths 1

THREE first half goals left Cannock deflated. Laurie Horn pulled one back before two more from the hosts.

Cannock Ladies 5ths 2
Stafford Ladies 5ths 0

WITH visitors Stafford 5ths unable to field a team, Cannock took a default 5-0 win.

Purkiss hopes to turn luck

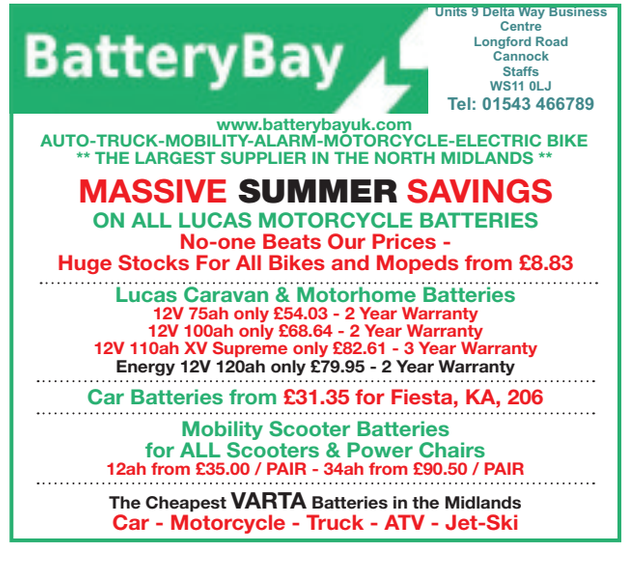
BEN Purkiss is hoping to shake off the tag of being Walsall's unluckiest man.

The Saddlers recent 1-0 win over Rochdale was his first appearance since March, yet the 30-year-old defender is unlikely to be counting too many chickens – the past year has been full of false dawns.

Whether missing through injury, ill-timed suspension or the form of others, Purkiss never catches a break.

"It's been unbelievable but you kind of have to deal with everything the game throws at you be it injury, be it sending off or other people who can play in your position," said Purkiss.

"You just have to be ready when the chance comes."



Butland puts the Lions through

Croatia 1 England 2

ENGLAND Under-21s qualified for next summer's European Championship after a 2-1 victory over Croatia in the second leg of their play-off.

Gareth Southgate's men headed into the match in Vinkovci with a 2-1 lead from the first leg and Liam Moore grabbed a vital away goal inside the first 10 minutes.

Marko Livaja equalised before the break but Will Hughes fired England back ahead to make it 4-2 on aggregate and secure their ticket to the Czech Republic.

Just two minutes were on the clock when Jack Butland was called upon to make an impressive save and keep England ahead in the tie.

Marko Pjaca got away down the right and his cross was helped on by Livaja to Mario Pasalic, whose side-foot finish from just six yards was stopped by the Stoke goalkeeper with his legs. In the ninth minute, England had the away goal they craved from the unlikely source of Moore.

Tom Carroll whipped in a corner and the Leicester centre-half was left completely unmarked to place a volley into the top corner.

The Young Lions got the goal their pressure merited after 73 minutes.

Lawley's late score enough

Cradley Town 0
Sporting Khalsa 1

A late winner by Brad Lawley snatched three points for Sporting Khalsa in a tepid and uninspiring clash.

Following the mid-week defeat against Hanley Town, Khalsa would have been looking for a dynamic performance to bounce back to form.

But against a Cradley Town side whose organised and spirited approach belied their league position, Khalsa were unable to carve opportunities.

Indeed, it was only an excellent performance by James Pemberton in the Khalsa goal that left anything to fight for in the closing stages.

Lawley grabbed a goal on 80 minutes but missed a free header before he finally did convert from close range after some great work down the left.

Canterbury tale a happy one for Cannock

Canterbury 1 Cannock 2

Hockey

CANNOCK made their longest journey of the season to take on Canterbury in their fifth game in the NOW Pensions National Premier Hockey League. It was a hard fought win against a very tough Canterbury side.

It made it two wins out of two on the road for Cannock this season – already a better statistic than the whole of last season when they only took one point.

Cannock dominated the first half without really getting out of second gear, taking control of possession and territory. They were unlucky to go into the break goalless after a series of good, on target, efforts. The best chance fell to Martin Ebbage after a flowing counter attack.

After the break Canterbury came out and put Cannock under enormous pressure for the first 20 minutes. The back four, led by South African international Jethro Eustice, stood up well to the test. After battling this storm Cannock got the breakthrough. From a speedy counter attack, Cannock forced a penalty corner which Peter Jackson smashed against the crossbar, only for Nick Bandurak to smartly put the rebound passed the Canterbury keeper. A few minutes later Cannock doubled their lead and ultimately finish off the match. Once again some excellent counter attacking hockey was finished off with a simple tap in for Hardeep Singh Jawanda on the back post.

Kwane Browne pulled a consolation goal back from a last-minute short corner.

Captain Marc Edwards said: "This was a performance that has highlighted the progress the team has been making defensively since John Bell has been appointed." Another tough away test lies ahead this weekend when Cannock travel to newly-promoted Southgate.

Cannock's Midlands League sides continued to largely dominate their respective leagues with the seconds winning 9-0 away to West Bridgford, the 3rds won 7-0 at home to the same club, while the 4ths won at home to Leek 4ths 5-1.

The 5ths went down 5-3 away to Sutton Coalfield but the 6ths beat Lichfield 5ths 5-3. The 8ths won at Ludlow 10-1 and the Badgers put 14 goals past Stone.

DAN'S THE MAN IN LATE STRIKE

Hednesford Town 2 Tamworth 1 (aet)

THE Pitmen prevailed over Tamworth as once again Danny Glover scored the crucial winner in the final period of extra time.

Hednesford Town negotiated a tough test against their fellow Vanarama Conference North outfit and gained revenge for their semi-final defeat in the same Birmingham Senior Cup competition last season.

Football

The Pitmen had more of the opportunities throughout the match with Marvin Robinson rolling back the years as he kept the Tamworth defence busy.

Meanwhile Steve Diggin and, when making an important cameo off the bench, Danny Glover formed the fulcrum of the attacking movement up front for the Hednesford outfit.

Perfectly

It was Glover who scored the winning goal shortly after the restart in the second period of extra time.

The inform player headed a perfectly judged Tom Thorley free kick into the net but praise must also go to Ben Bailey, who was absolutely immense at centre half and also scorer of Hednesford's opening goal, this time from a Jamey Osborne corner seven minutes before the half time break.

Tamworth threatened intermittently on the break with the impressive Kevin Thornton equalising on the hour mark capitalising on a Jamie Crowther mistake.

It could have so easily been the Lambs who won the game inside 90 minutes when Dan Crane made a superb low save from substitute Kayden Jackson with eight minutes to go.

Raaj Gill in the Tamworth goal showed equally brilliant reflexes from a deflected Glover free kick with six minutes remaining.

Diggin twice came close to settling the match in normal time before Hednesford showed that little bit more desire in the extra half an hour – no surprise from a Rob Smith team who are deservedly in the hat for the second round draw.

Hednesford Town: Crane, Ashmore, Campion ©, Bailey (37), Crowther, Love (Melbourne 71), Osborne (peers 93), Sullivan (Glover 66 (106)), Robinson, Diggin, Thorley,

Subs Not Used: Price

Tamworth: Gill, Smith, Trainer, Vidal, Jackson, Green (c), Taylor, Clarke, Amenku, Thornton (59) (James 97), Daniels (Morrell 105),

Subs Not Used: Preston

Bookings: Diggin, Trainer, Vidal, Thornton,

Attendance: 303

Scholars throw their Waite around for victory

Scholars' Nathan Waite fires home to make it 4-1 as Chasetown blow away Coalville

Chasetown 4 Coalville Town 1

CHASETOWN blew away Coalville with a scintillating display of football, scoring four and could easily have been more.

The home side should have been two goals up early on with misplaced passes inside the penalty box denying the Scholars an early advantage.

Eventually, the dominance paid off in the 24th minute when Nathan Waite gave Chasetown the lead capitalising on some defensive hesitancy after Nick Wellecomme's initial effort was blocked.

Five minutes later, Chasetown had doubled their lead after Wellecomme was persistent to put pressure on the Coalville back four and robbed a defender before nonchalantly flicking the ball into the bottom corner of the goal.

Coalville reduced the deficit when Jamie McAteer netted in-off the crossbar before half-time before Chasetown restored their two-goal cushion at the start of the second half. Whether Jermaine Johnson saw the goalkeeper off his line only he knows but he looped an effort over Matt Coton from wide on the right which dipped just below the crossbar.

Waite added his second just in the second half with a well-taken effort for the leading goalscorer's ninth goal of the campaign.

Tai pays tribute to Hancock

OUTGOING world champion Tai Woffinden has paid tribute to his successor Greg Hancock after the American icon won his third title at the weekend.

Wolverhampton star Woffinden says he's loved his year as world No.1 – and with time on his side he wants to do it all over again.

Hancock, 44, first won the sport's biggest prize in 1997 and made no mistake in the Borygo Torun FIM Speedway Grand Prix of Poland on Saturday.

Woffinden said: "I've got to say well done to Greg, he's an inspiration, a great guy and the ultimate professional.

"I've been battling with him for the world championship for a big part of this season and I have said before if I can't win it then I can't think of anyone better for me to hand over the crown to.

"I'm proud of him, everything he's been through and he started riding in England before I was even born, that's amazing.

"He was one of the first to congratulate me when I won the title last year and I was keen to do the same on Saturday when he won it."

Brunt facing fitness doubt

CAPTAIN Chris Brunt is a major fitness doubt for Albion's Premier League match at home to Manchester United a week today.

With the Baggies not playing until next Monday, Brunt, aged 29, is hoping the extra recovery time will boost his prospects of being able to face Louis van Gaal's men.

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